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FARMERS DISCUSS DRAINAGE ISSUE

Landowners West of City Explain to Councilmen the Purpose of Proposed Canal.

QUESTION OF THE BENEFITS

Stated that City will be Liable for Assessment if Laterals are not Constructed.

Representatives of the landowners west of the city who recently filed a petition asking for the construction of a drainage canal from the Hetty Run ditch, near the slaughter house site, to White River, appeared before the city council at its regular session Thursday night and explained their purpose in desiring to have the new canal built and why it was proposed that the city be given opportunity to build two laterals, one on the west side and one on the south side of the city, at the same time the main line is excavated. The matter was first presented to the board of works by O. E. Carter and Charles Hauer, viewers, and has been under consideration. It is proposed by some interested that the laterals and the canal will go a long way towards solving the surface drainage question for the city.

G. C. Borchering, who owns land near Hangmen Crossing, opened the discussion for the petitioners and others interested in the proposed canal. He said that the old ditch had always been adequate for drainage purposes for the land in that vicinity until about four years ago. He pointed out that since so many of the city streets have been improved with hard surface materials the surface water from the streets and gutters is thrown into the ditch with a rush and the present waterway has proved too small to carry it away rapidly enough. He said that the land was over-flowed after each heavy rain and that the damage was pronounced. He declared he felt assured that the city was responsible as the condition was due directly to changed conditions here. He said that the viewers had offered the city the right to build the laterals at their own initiative, but he felt sure that there would be no objection upon the part of the petitioners. He pointed out that the city uses the present ditch and what will be the new canal for drainage purposes and would be liable for assessment. Practically all the surface water from the city is drained to the ditch, he asserted.

Frank M. Bush, an interested land owner, said his name appeared at the head of the list of petitioners. He explained that so far as he was

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EGGS AND COKE PLACED ON LIST OF LUXURIES

Only a Few Dozen of Eggs were Obtainable in the City Today—Coke Supply Exhausted.

With the exception of a few dozen of eggs at one or two grocery stores, this necessary commodity was practically off the local market today. For several days the supply of eggs has become less and this afternoon several persons were unable to purchase them. One grocer said that there were practically no eggs on the market. They have been retailing from 43 cents to 45 cents and the price will doubtless go higher if the present shortage long continues. Farmers say that the Jackson county hens have been inactive which accounts for the limited market receipts here.

Another necessary commodity that is almost worth its weight in silver is coke. Many families who rely upon base burners for heat have been unable to get any coke whatever. The price, according to most dealers, is the highest that it has been here for years. Anthracite coal has been off the market for several weeks.

Hand made hair braids at Hoadley's. f&mtf

Homemade Salt Rising Bread at Star Bakery or your Grocery. j6d

RIVER IS RISING 4 INCHES AN HOUR

Government Gauge at Rockford Pumping Station Registers a Nine-Foot Stage.

RAINFALL OF 2.25 INCHES

Electric Light Pole at Brownstown Gives Way—Wire Entangled With Telephone Line.

Because of the almost constant downpour of rain Thursday afternoon and night, the streams and branches in the county are bank full and are throwing a tremendous volume of water into White River. The government gauge at the Rockford pumping station this afternoon registered a nine-foot stage and it is certain that the river will rise much higher on account of the condition, approaching that of an overflow, north of Rockford. At the pumping station this afternoon it was predicted that the river would be more than bank full before tomorrow unless there should be a drop in temperature, causing the water in the ground to freeze, thereby preventing it from reaching the main channel.

A fifteen-foot stage, it is stated, means that the banks will be filled to the point of overflowing. A twelve-foot stage would overflow the low banks of White River. At Columbus this afternoon the river was almost high bank full and was still rising about three or four inches an hour. It was not believed there that there would be serious flood damage.

The total rainfall in this vicinity registered 2.25 inches during the last twenty-four hours, according to the gauge in charge of J. Thomas Hays, local weather observer. Most of the rainfall was registered during the

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EAST LAUREL STREET HOUSE IS PRACTICALLY DESTROYED

Home of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Abell Burned Thursday Night—Loss mate at About \$1,750.

Fire, the origin of which has not been definitely determined, practically destroyed the house occupied by Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Abell, 219 East Laurel street, with all of its contents, Thursday night, entailing a loss estimated at \$1,750. The house was owned by A. H. Ahlbrand and was recently remodeled after it was removed from South Walnut street. The new single roof was completed Thursday afternoon.

The fire started soon after Mr. and Mrs. Abell had left their home, Mr. Abell going to an electric theater while his wife visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Brown. When the flames were discovered the house was practically enveloped. Mrs. Abell heard the alarm and asked the telephone exchange regarding the location of the fire. When she was informed that it was at 219 East Laurel she started to run towards her house, but had not gone far when she stumbled and fell. She was carried to a house near by, but her injuries are not serious. Her husband was later notified and reached the burning house after the fire department arrived.

Mrs. Abell had about \$14, half in currency and half in silver, which she did not desire to carry with her and had placed it in the refrigerator. This was destroyed when the ice box was burned. It is possible that the fire was started from lightning as it was discovered shortly after a bright flash. Mr. and Mrs. Abell had been away from the dwelling more than thirty minutes when the flames were seen.

Fire Chief Everhart declares that the flames were the most stubborn he has encountered in a small fire since he has been in charge of the local department. A big stream of water was thrown on the fire for a long time before the flames were under control. The alarm was sent in at 8:05 and the department did not return until after 10 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Abell's loss is estimated at not less than \$750 with \$500 insurance.

Mr. Ahlbrand places his loss at \$1,000 with \$700 insurance.

MOLDING WAR'S WRECKS INTO BUSINESS MEN



Photo by American Press Association.

Disabled soldiers at a school at Roehampton House hospital, England, being prepared for a business career. All the soldiers are being taught how to earn a living with artificial arms

CITY EXECUTIVE SUBMITS REPORT

Mayor Ross Reviews Efficient and Economical Administration of Different Departments.

RECOMMENDATIONS ARE MADE

Suggests that Motorized Fire Department Would Mean Lower Insurance Rates.

Reviewing the efficient and economical administration of the several departments of the city government, Mayor Ross last night submitted to the city council his annual report for 1916. He made several recommendations, including a system of meter testing for both gas and electric service and a telephone or other system in the business district by which fires or police calls could be registered at night. He devoted attention to the saving in the street department, especially in sweeping the improved streets.

The executive's report in full is as follows:

To the Honorable Common Council: In compliance with the law of the state of Indiana, which requires the mayor to make to the council, at least once a year a statement of the finances and general conditions of the city, I herewith submit my report, together with some recommendations for the coming year's work.

This surplus was made possible by practicing various economies throughout the different departments mainly the streets and principally the improved streets, practically all other expenditures having been fixed by previous councils and not subject to our review, except through the State Utilities Commission in the matter of water, light and gas rates. In the final analysis we find improved methods of cleaning improved streets should be credited with most of the savings. Abuses involving inefficient implements and lax supervision had crept into cleaning them until the cost had reached \$4,400 for 3 6-10 miles. We are now cleaning almost a mile more for \$3,000. The full degree of extravagance and inefficiency that formerly existed can only be realized when we learn that notwithstanding reduction in cost above mentioned, we are still paying almost double the average of same

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CASSIDY RETURNS

Says He Will Make Good Every Cent of Shortage.

By United Press.

Cleveland, January 5.—James H. Cassidy, former congressman who disappeared months ago, returned to Cleveland today and said he expected to repay every cent of his debts. Cassidy was removed as receiver of the Cleveland-Pittsburg Coal Company when a shortage of \$19,000 was found in his books. No charges were filed against him.

Tornado in Oklahoma.

By United Press.

McAllister, Okla., January 5.—With fifteen school children dead and eight injured, the people of Pittsburg county today rallied to the support of the stricken district that was swept by a tornado yesterday.

CITY GOVERNMENT COSTS \$178 A DAY

Total of \$55,686.61 Required to Maintain All Departments During Last Year.

LIGHT BILL WAS HEAVIEST

City Clerk Burkart Files Itemized Report of Expenditures—Balance of \$6,546.88.

That the administration of the city government cost on an average of \$1,070.89 a week, or \$178.48 per day during the last year, are facts that have been deducted from the annual report concerning city finances in 1916 which was filed by City Clerk C. W. Burkart with the city council at its regular meeting last night. The law requires the clerk to file an annual report. The statement tallies in all particulars with a summary of the monthly reports which are required from the city treasurer.

The clerk's report shows that a total of \$55,686.61 was required in 1916 to maintain all departments of the local government. For the first time in years a balance is carried over. The statement shows that \$5,049.91 was carried over in 1916

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INDIANA LEGISLATURE ADJOURNS UNTIL MONDAY

Rev. McClaskey Named Chairman of House Committee to Make Appointments.

By United Press.

Indianapolis, January 5.—Both houses of the Indiana legislature held brief sessions this morning and after the appointment of a few committees adjourned until 10 o'clock Monday morning.

In the house the "plunder committee" to take care of the appointive offices was named. Robert W. McClaskey, LaGrange, was appointed chairman.

Monday morning the canvass for votes for governor and lieutenant-governor will be taken up by a joint committee of the house and senate. Memorial services were held today on the death of J. W. Rinear, of Bluffton, a member of the senate at the last session. The senate session was again marked by the peace and harmony between the two parties which was evident of the first meeting yesterday.

Reserved seats for the Wittenberg College Glee Club concert will go on sale Monday. Tickets may be secured now from the members of the Lutheran Social Aid Society. j5d

WOOD TESTIFIES IN LEAK PROBE

Indiana Representative Confused When Requested to Give Supported Facts.

TUMULTY DEMANDS APOLOGY

Chicago, New York and Washington Stock Exchanges Commanded to Produce Books.

By United Press.

Washington, January 5.—Names high in Washington and New York financial circles were brought into the "leak to Wall Street" probe by Representative Wood of Indiana, today.

Basing his charges on hearsay reports and "reliable information" Wood mentioned Presidential Secretary Tumulty, Otto Kahn of the Kuhn, Loeb & Co., Paul M. Warburg of the federal reserve board and "Mr. Bolling, a brother of the President's wife."

Wood became confused when the command was made for supported facts. He failed to mention one fact he could vouch for.

Secretary Tumulty sent a statement to the capital demanding an apology from Wood. The committee decided to subpoena Barney Baruch and A. Curtis, New York broker, who informed Wood as to the alleged leak.

It was decided to ask the New York, Chicago and Washington stock exchanges to produce their books from December 10, before the German note came, until December 23 after the President's note was sent. "Barney Baruch," Wood said, "I am reliably informed had several conferences with Secretary Tumulty and has information of the note two or three days before it was sent."

SUSPECTED MURDERER OF PRETTY MODEL, A SUICIDE

Bernard Wesley Lewis, Yale Graduate, Reaches Tragic End of His Bohemian Life.

By United Press.

Philadelphia, January 5.—Bernard Wesley Lewis, Yale graduate, son of a wealthy Pittsburg family, reached the end of his primrose path today.

His body was in an Atlantic City morgue, awaiting disposition after he all but confessed the murder of Mazie Colbert, a model, who trod the same primrose path. He had committed suicide.

Search of Lewis' effects today disclosed two important items. First, he wore a woman's pink, silk undershirt. Second, that the bloody shirt and collar found in Miss Colbert's rooms after the murder are of the same size as those worn by Lewis and are of the same make. Efforts will be made to identify the pink undershirt as the one belonging to the dead girl.

Practically without money and driven to frenzy by the suspicion centered on him, Lewis was in a hopeless condition. His clothes were unkempt and of cheap material.

BROTHERHOOD MAY TAKE STRIKE VOTE

This Course is Indicated by an Article Published in American Railway Employees' Journal.

MEETING SET FOR JANUARY 11

Session for Purpose of Consulting with General Chairmen on Line of Action Necessary.

By United Press.

Kansas City, Mo., January 5.—That the four railway brotherhoods will take another vote whether or not to strike in the event the eight-hour work day is not granted by the railroads, is the declaration of the American Railway Employees' Journal, the January issue of which was published here today.

According to the Journal, the four brotherhood chiefs have asked the general chairmen of the trainmen's organizations to meet in Chicago January 11.

The Journal says: "The meeting is for the purpose of consulting the general chairmen and to decide on the line of action made necessary by the railroad managers' refusal to put into effect the eight-hour work day as contemplated by the Adamson Law. The entire matter will be placed before the rank and file for the decision."

LEWIS THROWS WAR SCARE INTO SENATE BY SPEECH

Says This Country Cannot Accept Apologies for Injuries Done by Ship Commanders.

By United Press.

Washington, January 5.—"I agree with secretary Lansing or anyone else who says that the war cannot continue without America being involved in it," said Senator Lewis in the senate this afternoon while urging immediate passage of the endorsement of President Wilson's peace note.

Lewis thrust the war idea upon the senate with a startling suddenness. America, he held, cannot proceed further in accepting apologies for injuries done by ship commanders, presumably referring to German submarine commanders. Lewis is one of the Democratic leaders closest to the White House.

Election Fraud Probe.

By United Press.

Washington, January 5.—Important developments are expected shortly by the department of justice in the election fraud probe in Illinois and Indiana, it was announced today. Frank C. Dailey, special investigator, returned to the west today to continue the probe. Officials refused to explain what the new developments might be.

German Gains in Roumania.

By United Press.

Berlin, January 5. (Via Sayville) —Capture of four more towns in Roumania was announced today by the war office. Two of the towns were captured after hand to hand battles proceeding from house to house. The Germans took 1,400 prisoners.

Notice Pythian Sisters.

There will be a called meeting Monday night, January 8, for practice for inspection, January 22. Let every staff officer and member of drill team be present. j6d

GEORGE EISEL FINED \$50 FOR LIQUOR LAW VIOLATION

Brownstown Man Pleads Guilty in Circuit Court—Thirty-day Jail Sentence Suspended.

George Eisel, of Brownstown, who was arrested last summer following the raid on his place of business by the ministers of the town, appeared in circuit court this afternoon and pleaded guilty to a charge of selling intoxicating liquors without a license and was fined \$50 and costs. He was also given a thirty-day jail sentence which was suspended. The raid by the ministers occasioned much surprise not only in Brownstown, but throughout the county.

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DOBRUDJA NOW IN TEUTON HANDS

Only Narrow Strip Held by Russ, Berlin Says.

SEVERAL HEIGHTS ARE TAKEN

Austro-Germans Capture Several Positions in the Suchitza Valley—Russians Occupy Advanced Positions in Wooded Carpathians.

Berlin, Jan. 5.—Dobrudja is now in absolute control of the Teutonic hosts, having been cleared of Russian and Roumanian defenders, with the exception of a Russian rear guard, which occupies a narrow strip of land leading toward Galatz, says the war office announcement. About 1,000 prisoners and ten machine guns were captured in the taking of Matchin and Jijila. The official statement says: "Western war theater: Fighting activity has been limited owing to rain and fog."

"Eastern war theater: Front of Prince Leopold, northwest of Divinsk, companies of the Oldenburg reserve infantry regiment No. 259 pushed across the Divinsk river on the ice and captured an island from the Russians, taking more than forty prisoners and bring back several machine guns."

"Front of Archduke Joseph: In the wood Carpathians Russian detachments succeeded in gaining a footing in a most advanced position north of Mests-Canesci. German and Austro-Hungarian troops captured the North Clituz road and both sides of Solvela in the Suchitza valley, taking several heights."

"Army Group of Field Marshal von Mackensen: Above Odobecht, north-west of Fokshani, our troops were victorious in the Milcov river sector. A strong force of Russian cavalry attempted to advance west of the mouth of the Buzeu river but was repulsed. German and Bulgarian regiments, fighting shoulder to shoulder, stormed the towns of Matchin and Jijila. About 1,000 prisoners and ten machine guns were brought in."

"Dobrudja was thus cleared of the enemy except for a narrow strip of land leading toward Galatz, which still is held by Russian rear guards."

"Macedonian Front: There was no events of importance."

The war office statement later says: "On the east and west fronts no important fighting has been reported."

"In Roumania, engagements along the Sereth river continue."

QUESTION ELEVEN NEGROES

Federal Investigators at Evansville Get Election Fraud Evidence.

Evansville, Ind., Jan. 5.—United States Inspector Timothy and seven deputies, working under the direction of Frank C. Daily, special deputy attorney-general who have been here investigating alleged election frauds in November took eleven negroes into custody. Inspector Timothy questioned the negroes, who, it is understood, gave valuable information regarding alleged frauds. They were then released. Their names were not made public.

Edgar Schmitt, chief of police, is assisting the federal investigators, and has detailed two motorcycle policemen to work with them.

JUDGMENTS IN BANK CASE

Stockholders in Noblesville, Ind., Bank Held Liable For Losses.

Anderson, Ind., Jan. 5.—Judge Pence, of the Madison circuit court, entered judgment against four stockholders of the Hamilton Trust company of Noblesville, which failed, in the suit brought by depositors to recover losses in the failure. The bank was closed about a year ago by the state.

Judgments entered by Judge Pence were as follows: Elmer Sturtevant, \$3,800; George Bowen, \$4,700; James C. Farrell, \$1,000 and Frank Campbell, \$3,000.

Elderly Man Hangs Himself.

Salem, Ind., Jan. 5.—Andrew Hughes, seventy-eight years old, of Campbellsburg, committed suicide. Depressed because of illness, he hanged himself in the loft of his barn. A widow and five children survive.

Suffrage Bill Offered.

Oklahoma City, Okla., Jan. 5.—The first bill presented to the Oklahoma legislature when it convened was a measure authorizing submission to the voters of a constitutional amendment providing woman suffrage.

Woman Expires on Train.

Kendallville, Ind., Jan. 5.—Mrs. Alonzo F. Strong, eighty-five years old, of this city, a lifelong resident of Noble county, died of heart disease while on a Grand Rapids & Indiana train bound for Ft. Wayne.

Buffalo Bill Better.

Glenwood Springs, Colo., Jan. 5.—The condition of Colonel William F. Cody (Buffalo Bill), who arrived here from Denver, was slightly improved, his physicians said.

MAZIE COLBERT

Philadelphia Art Model
Mystery Murder Victim.



Photo by American Press Association.

APPROVE STATE DEPARTMENT

Farmers Would Have State Create Agricultural Department.

Indianapolis, Jan. 5.—Joshua Strange of Marion, chairman of a special committee appointed to consider a plan for the creation of a state department of agriculture, made his report at the closing session of the first annual convention of the Indiana State Farmers' congress. He recommended a department to be headed by a secretary to be appointed by the governor.

Strange points out that under such a plan a state department of agriculture would provide for the administration of all rural problems, including that of the office of highway commissioner as well as marketing warehouse regulations, grain inspection, grading, sanitation of live stock and forestry.

Members of the congress also went on record as favoring the passage by the state legislature of a law for the maintenance of drains and ditches and also a law creating a state police department.

60,000 ARE DRUG VICTIMS

Massachusetts Conditions Shown In Report of Commission.

Boston, Jan. 5.—An estimate that 60,000 persons in Massachusetts are addicted to the drug habit was included in the report of a commission appointed by Governor McCall to investigate the drug evil. The habit, it was stated, is not confined to any particular class of people. The commission found that the laws are in adequate, and suggested various remedies.

In its investigations the commission found that one physician wrote 4,051 prescriptions from May to September last, which were filled by one druggist, and that he issued 255 other prescriptions in the same period.

SIXTEEN OTHERS PUNCTUAL

Only One Model Prisoner Failed to Return on Time from Vacation.

Leavenworth, Kas., Jan. 5.—Tex Schapper, the honor prisoner who overstayed his Christmas leave from the state penitentiary here, has lost his privileges and no longer may count himself one of the few model convicts. Warden J. K. Coddington announced after learning that Schapper had appeared at a police station in Ft. Worth, Tex.

Schapper was the only one of seven teen convicts on holiday leave who failed to report at the prison at the expiration of the allotted time.

J. B. McNamara In Dungeon.

San Quentin, Cal., Jan. 5.—James B. McNamara, serving a life sentence in the state prison here for dynamiting the Los Angeles Times building in 1910, when twenty persons were killed, was ordered into the disciplinary dungeon for refusing to work in the jute mill.

MAN CONFESSES TO MURDER

Walks Into Police Station and Says He Killed Brother-In-Law.

Weston, W. Va., Jan. 5.—Otto Hess of Boston walked into the police station here and told George L. Skinner chief of police, that he was wanted in New York for the murder of his brother-in-law, William McAuliff, March 18 1916.

He said he would return to New York without requisition papers. According to the police Hess declared he was a soldier at Governor's island and after he shot McAuliff at Sixty seventh street and Second avenue he made his way to Chicago.

Asks Switzerland to Act.

Geneva, Switzerland, Jan. 5.—The Austrian government has asked Switzerland to represent Austro-Hungarian interests in the unoccupied parts of Roumania. The political department accordingly has instructed the Swiss charge at Jassy to take charge of the interests of Austro-Hungarians.

HOUSE TO PRESS RAILROAD LAWS

Will Not Wait on the Senate to Act.

MUCH OPPOSITION EXPECTED

Second Adamson Measure Would Prevent Employes From Striking Without Sixty Days' Notice and Would Provide Military Control of Roads.

Washington, Jan. 5.—The house, without waiting on the senate, will it has been decided, consider the railroad legislation desired by President Wilson to supplement the Adamson law. After a conference with the president and while the senate committee was continuing its hearings on the subject, Representative Adamson, chairman of the house commerce committee, announced that within a few days he would introduce and seek the passage of bills designed to prevent railroad employes from striking without giving sixty days' notice and to empower the president to place tied up roads in the hands of military authorities in case of public necessity.

It is the understanding that the president wanted the railroad program completed by amendments to a measure now pending in the senate. Mr. Adamson said, however, that he was tired of waiting for the senate to act. "They will run on with these hearings for I don't know how long," he added, "and I doubt if the members know much more about the subject when the hearings are over than they do now."

Representative Adamson also will press his proposed special rule, now in the house rules committee, for immediate consideration of his resolution to extend the life of the Newlands railway investigating committee one year. The life of this committee will expire next Monday unless it is extended. Objection by Representative Rayburn of Texas blocked the unanimous consent for consideration of the resolution.

Vigorous opposition to the proposed compulsory notice measure from organized labor generally is anticipated. It was to fight such proposals that the four railway brotherhoods and the American Federation of Labor representatives recently allied themselves unofficially. They oppose all measures forcing men to labor.

Brotherhood officials are expected here within the next few days to testify before the senate committee and it is expected that they then will inaugurate a fight on the Adamson proposals.

Judge William L. Chambers of the federal board of mediation and arbitration; Everett P. Wheeler, representing the Reform club of New York, and Amos L. Hathaway of the Boston Chamber of Commerce, testified before the senate committee.

Judge Chambers, without giving his views of the merits of the proposed compulsory arbitration bill, suggested that congress should amend the present arbitration law to empower federal courts to enforce awards under it.

Mr. Wheeler contended that supreme court decisions showed the power of congress to legislate forbidding an organized strike interfering with interstate commerce.

Mr. Hathaway thought the bill to give the interstate commerce commission power to fix railroad wages would be a more logical solution of wage problems than arbitration legislation, but doubted its expediency.

Mayor to Face Charges.

Gary, Ind., Jan. 5.—Steps to impeach Mayor R. O. Johnson and K. M. Burr and Alfred Carlson, members of the board of public safety, were taken by the city council of Gary. The council voted unanimously in the mayor's case for the appointment of a committee of three to file charges Monday night.

Raise For P. O. Clerks.

Washington, Jan. 5.—An amendment by Representative Ayres of Kansas to the postoffice appropriation bill, providing salary increases of 10 per cent for every urban and rural postoffice employee receiving less than \$1,200 a year and 5 per cent for those receiving between \$1,200 and \$1,800 was adopted by the postoffice committee.

* FORMER CONVICT RESTORES *
* PEARLS VALUED AT \$15,000 *
* Chicago, Jan. 5.—A rope of sixty-two pearls, valued at \$15,000, which Mrs. Charles L. Hutchin-son, wife of a banker, lost when shopping, was restored to her. *
* According to the story made public the pearls were found by a man who recently was released from Moyamensing penitentiary, Philadelphia, after serving a long term for safe-blowing and who, despite straightened circumstances, heeded the plea of his wife to restore the pearls to the owner. The man, whose name was withheld, received \$100 reward. *

ROBERT L. HENRY

House Rules Chairman Who Will Investigate "Leak."



Photo by American Press Association.

Washington, Jan. 5.—Thomas W. Lawson telegraphed Speaker Clark that he had canceled plans for a trip to Europe and would be in Washington "before breakfast" Monday morning to testify before the house rules committee, of which Robert L. Henry is chairman. Public hearings on Representative Wood's charge that a leak gave Wall street advance information about President Wilson's peace note will be held.

COAL MEN ON THE RACK

Four Dealers at New York Before the Federal Grand Jury.

New York, Jan. 5.—The January federal grand jury has taken up the government's inquiry into the high cost of fuel and food products. Four coal dealers were examined and the jury had at its disposal the testimony taken before the December body.

George W. Anderson, United States district attorney in Boston, who has charge of the federal investigation, said the inquiry is now in full swing throughout the country, and would, he expected, cause the prompt release of cars held at congested points with the resultant delay in transportation of coal and foodstuffs.

RHINE FLOODS COLOGNE

Parts of City Inundated by High Waters, Doing Great Damage.

Amsterdam (via London), Jan. 5.—The Rhine water gauge at Cologne shows a rise of seven and one-half meters (about twenty-five feet), according to the Berlin Lokal Anzeiger. Streets in the city along the river are flooded and the surrounding fields resemble a lake.

River traffic along the Rhine in its lower reaches is greatly impeded by the flood conditions, the reports state and large stretches of land are under water.

Esquimo Dogs.

An exceedingly hard lot is that of the Eskimo dog. In the first place, he has to earn his living by drawing sledges. In the next place, food is so scarce that a dog is usually hungry, often hungry enough to eat his harness or indeed any bits of skin and leather he can find. To prevent this the men rub the leather cords with tar. But in order to live at all an Eskimo dog has to fight his way. Whenever there is a pack of dogs together they fight. The weak ones are driven away or killed. The strongest and fiercest one, who can thrash any or all of the others, is known as the king dog. He has the best place to lie and his choice of the food.

Suit Continued.

New Albany, Ind., Jan. 5.—The suit of Mrs. Nora Byrum against Charles Summers, proprietor of a drug store at Marengo, Ind., for \$10,000 damages for the death of her husband, James Byrum, was continued in the Floyd circuit court after a motion had been filed by the defendant for a change of judge. Mrs. Byrum alleges her husband became intoxicated by liquor obtained from the store of the defendant and was killed Oct. 13, 1913, on a railroad track.

Cummins Charges Dropped.

New York, Jan. 5.—Nine indictments against William J. Cummins, former head of the Carnegie Trust company, were quashed in court here. Cummins was recently pardoned by Governor Whitman after serving part of a sentence for wrecking the bank of which he was president.

One Never Can Tell.

New York, Jan. 5.—Five years ago patrolman Edward J. O'Rourke helped Miss Esther Clair across the street. Now he is the sole heir to her property, valued at \$30,000.

German Prince Killed.

Amsterdam, Jan. 5.—Berlin news papers announce the death of Prince Frederick zu Puerstenberg, who was killed on the battle front in Roumania.

11 SCHOOL PUPILS DIE IN TORNADO

Twelve Others Were Injured When Storm Struck.

Muskogee, Okla., Jan. 5.—Eleven children, most girls, were killed when a tornado shattered a frame school house near Blocker, Okla., according to late reports. The teacher, a woman, is missing, and persons living in the neighborhood of the school express the opinion that she was killed and her body blown away.

There were fifty children in the building when the storm struck suddenly. Four were probably fatally injured and eight seriously.

Early reports of deaths in other localities in southern Oklahoma are without foundation, according to information here.

First news of the disaster at the school was taken to Blocker by a runner. The school building was seven miles from the town.

Scores of physicians and volunteer nurses hastened to the school house when the first reports of the storm reached Blocker, but at a late hour none of them had returned and, as all means of communication with the neighborhood had been destroyed by the storm, the party had been unable to report.

FACED GALLOWS FIVE TIMES

Leaves the Penitentiary With Pardon From the State.

Joliet, Ill., Jan. 5.—Herman Billik feeble and stricken from terrific strains of entering the shadow of the gallows five times for the murder of Martin Vzral, left the penitentiary here, pardoned by the state.

Coincident with his release there comes the story that his daughter Edna will marry Jerry Vzral, the youth upon whose testimony Billik was convicted and whose confession that he perjured himself brought about the pardon.

Kingsbury Flouring Mill Burns.

Laporte, Ind., Jan. 5.—Fire of undetermined origin destroyed the Kingsbury flouring mills at Kingsbury south of Laporte. The village has no fire protection.

The Killer

You can't raise rats and chickens on the same farm. Kill the rats with

RAT CORN

Trade Mark Reg. U.S. Pat. Off.

Deadly to rats and mice but harmless to humans. Rats dry up without odor.

25c, 50c and \$1.00 at Seed, Hardware, Drug and General Stores.

GIRL SAYS PREACHER TAUGHT HER TO STEAL

Valuable Loot Is Recovered by Officers.

South Bend, Ind., Jan. 5.—As a result of extensive thefts in stores in Goshen, South Bend and other cities, Miss Emma Miller, an eighteen-year-old country girl, who declares she was taught the tricks of the shoplifter by a former Presbyterian missionary; Esther Miller, twenty years old, her sister, and Ralph Janness, twenty-one years old, the missionary, are under arrest here.

The girl confessed after Sheriff Sanford of Elkhart county recovered stolen goods valued at \$500 from the homes of Samuel Miller, her father, and Jacob Miller, her grandfather, near Nappanee.

The Miller girl told the old, old story of the girl who tires of a country home. Her father, a well-to-do farmer, recently was committed to the Northern Indiana Hospital for the Insane. Leaving her home, the girl came to South Bend to seek employment.

There she met Janness, who conducted religious meetings in the street and in some churches. Janness taught her how to become a shoplifter, according to the girl's confession to the police. The couple operated extensively in Detroit, Mich.; Toledo, O., and other cities, she declared.

According to the Miller girl's confession Janness never stole anything himself, but directed her operations. The couple posed as man and wife, she said, when they were in other cities.

The arrests resulted from the attempt of Miss Esther Miller, to pawn a ring at a South Bend pawn shop, which is alleged to have been stolen.

ILLINOIS BILL HELD A MODEL

Suffrage Measures to Be Introduced in Many States.

Washington, Jan. 5.—The National American Woman Suffrage association announces that a bill for presidential suffrage will be introduced in the Indiana legislature and in practically every state legislature in session this winter.

The Illinois act, which grants the franchise to women in presidential and municipal elections, will be used as the model measure. In some states local conditions or the peculiarities of the state constitution may require that the model act be slightly amended. In those commonwealths where referendum suffrage is imminent, the presidential suffrage bill will give way to the more immediate issues.

Realistic.

The Author—Well, how did you like my play?
The Critic—Oh, it was very nice.
The Author—Didn't you think the church scene realistic?
The Critic—Intensely so. Why, a great many of us actually went to sleep while it was on.—London Tit-Bits.

WEATHER EVERYWHERE.

Observations of the United States weather bureau, taken at 8 p. m. yesterday follows:
Temp. Weather.
Boston..... 32 Cloudy.
Chicago..... 36 Rain.
Denver..... 26 Clear.
Indianapolis.... 42 Rain.
New Orleans.... 66 Cloudy.
New York..... 46 Cloudy.
Omaha..... 28 Pt. cloudy.
St. Louis..... 38 Rain.
San Francisco.. 40 Clear.
Washington..... 26 Cloudy.
Forecast—Rain.

The Southland TO FLORIDA

ALL-STEEL
DRAWING-ROOM
SLEEPING CAR

Los. Indianapolis 3:45 am
(ready 9:00 pm)
Los. Franklin... 4:21 am
Los. Edinburg... 4:36 am
Los. Columbus... 4:50 am
Los. Seymour... 5:26 am
Los. Crothersville... 5:42 am
Los. Scottsburg... 5:54 am

PENNSYLVANIA LINES

Via Louisville
and L. & N. R. R.
in The Southland
Through Knoxville
and Atlanta
Ars. Jacksonville
8:30 next morning
New Scenic Route

Particulars, also Tourist
Tickets to Winter Resorts
in Florida and South, from
local Ticket Agent

J. T. JONES, Agent, Seymour, Ind.

ONLY BOYHOOD MEMORY NOW

Writer Recalls Old Tin Safe That
Stood in the Dining Room and Was
Forerunner of Icebox.

Remember the old tin safe that stood in the corner of the dining room? It is still in use to some extent in the country, but in the city do not encounter it so frequently as formerly. The icechest has taken its place, and the china closet and the pantry have made it obsolete for the most part. But it was a wonderful invention in its day—and the cold food you could sneak out of it when nobody was looking was the best food in the world, remarks the Dayton (O.) News.

A flimsy sort of thing so far as the woodwork was concerned; cheap popular lumber stained with a cheap varnish—that is about all it amounted to, with sheets of tin punched full of tiny holes like a nutmeg grater. It was ornamental, all right, with all of its shortcomings, for the holes were punched after a pattern, and it had a pleasing effect because you knew what it contained. Why, there was the sugar bowl on the top shelf; they always put the sugar bowl as high as possible, just so a chap would have to get a chair to stand on when he wanted to investigate.

If the ants discovered the safe, the legs had to be placed in a little receptacle with kerosene in them. Flies could not get through the small holes in the tin, but the gnats passed through readily and found delight in the apple sauce that was in evidence along about this time of the year. Gnats certainly liked apple sauce, but a boy didn't care anything about gnats when he wanted apple sauce.

Mother was somewhat artistic in her tastes. She scalloped red or pink tissue paper and placed it upon the shelves, so the edges would drop down and present a pleasing, wavy picture when the safe was opened, but newspapers were used upon the shelves—folded neatly and pressed down flat.

There was a sort of sacred atmosphere surrounding the old tin safe. It was the most used and the most useful piece of furniture about the home. The children sought it when nobody else was present, and half buried themselves in its generous cavities. And now—just think—we haven't seen an old tin safe for a generation.

HAVE COLOR IN YOUR CHEEKS

Be Better Looking—Take
Olive Tablets

If your skin is yellow—complexion pallid—tongue coated—appetite poor—you have a bad taste in your mouth—a lazy, no-good feeling—you should take Olive Tablets.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets—a substitute for calomel—were prepared by Dr. Edwards after 17 years of study with his patients.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets are a purely vegetable compound mixed with olive oil. You will know them by their olive color.

To have a clear, pink skin, bright eyes, no pimples, a feeling of buoyancy like childhood days you must get at the cause. Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets act on the liver and bowels like calomel—yet have no dangerous after effects.

They start the bile and overcome constipation. That's why millions of boxes are sold annually at 10c and 25c per box. All druggists. Take one or two nightly and note the pleasing results.

AIDS SECTION MAN

INVENTION DOING AWAY WITH
MUCH OF HIS HANDIWORK.

Gasoline Section Car One of First
Machines to Relieve Trackman
of Some of Difficulties Under
Which He Labored.

Compelled to do his work by primitive hand methods that have changed but little since the beginning of railroading, the railroad trackman has long ranked as the poorest paid and most unfavorably situated of all laborers. In recent years a change has been taking place, a change that is fast placing the trackman in the position that his skill and experience and the importance of his work entitles him to—that of a skilled mechanic. As in many other lines of work this change is due to just one cause, the introduction of power-driven machinery for doing the work formerly done by back-breaking hand labor.

The first machine to break the evil spell, as it might be called, under which the trackman has labored, is the gasoline section car, which has been in use in a limited way for a number of years. What this means to the men engaged in the work is easily understood by anyone who has witnessed the laborious ordeal of pumping an old-time handcar. Starting the day's work by pumping such a car over from four to six miles of track, some of it upgrade, is enough to destroy the efficiency of any group of men for the remainder of the day. On some of the most progressive railroads the section men now ride to their work on a gasoline car that is capable of making a speed of as much as 30 miles an hour. When they reach their work they are as fresh and fit as a business man who has ridden to his office in an automobile.

Two other machines that are rapidly coming into use and that are relieving the trackman of much heavy work formerly done by hand are the gasoline welder and the gasoline mowing machine. Both of these machines are proving profitable for the companies that have installed them.

What is probably the most important innovation in track work is the pneumatic tamper now being introduced. It is now known that machine tamping costs less than one-third as much as hand tamping, and that track tamped with the machine settles approximately one-half as much as track tamped by hand and subjected to the same service.—Popular Mechanics Magazine.

Third Arm of the Army.

No country in the world is so well supplied with alert young wireless telegraph operators as the United States. It is estimated that there are more than 150,000 wireless stations, large and small, scattered throughout the country.

For each of these outfits there is at least one intelligent operator, so that America must contain an immense army of wireless experts.

The government at Washington has just come to realize that this great force of loyal and alert young men may be made extremely valuable in organizing a vast signal system.

This new third arm of the army is called the Junior American Guard, which already comprises nearly 10,000 members.—New York Telegram.

Off-the-Tray Luncheons.

For the benefit of persons making extended railroad journeys, who wish to procure their meals at less cost than dining-car rates permit, a western railroad has inaugurated what it calls an "off-the-tray" service. Waiters pass through the tourist cars and chair cars bearing large trays laden with many kinds of sandwiches, fruits, hot coffee, milk, pies, cakes, etc. It is expected that this service will be especially appreciated by women traveling with small children, and by those who would like to supplement their lunches with a hot drink or a dessert.—Popular Mechanics.

Why He Preferred It.

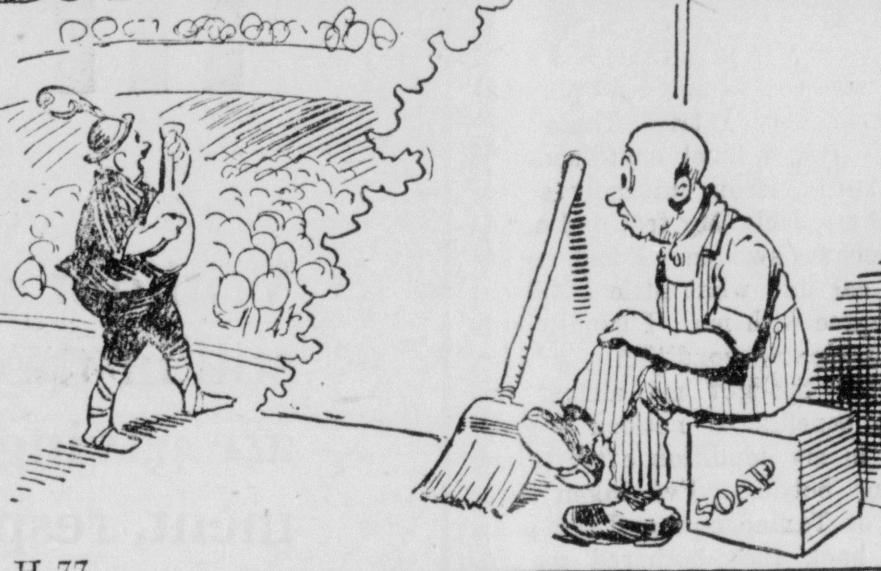
"How do you like my new gown?"
"Not nearly so well as your old one, my dear."
"What is there about the old gown you like better than this?"
"The old one is paid for, my dear."
—Detroit Free Press.

Republican Want Ads. Get Results.

SEEING THEM PEOPLE ATTENDING THE OPERA
REMINDS ME OF MY DAYS OF AFFLUENCE—THE
POSITION I USED TO HOLD ENABLED ME TO VIEW THE
OPERA FROM A BOX EVERY EVENING!



BUT THIS IS HOW HE DID IT



GOOD JOKE ON A RAILROAD

Eastern Company Unwittingly Gives
Away More Than 500,000 Tons
of Coal.

A million-dollar joke on the Delaware & Hudson Railroad company, perpetrated away back in 1906, when the railroad generously deeded 1,200 acres of mountain land to the commonwealth of Pennsylvania as a site for the State Hospital for Criminal Insane, came to light at Fairview the other day when a coal dealer tried to make a contract with the hospital to furnish its coal.

The dealer learned to his amazement that the hospital has on its grounds more than 500,000 tons of chestnut, pea, buckwheat and other steam sizes of coal, all within easy hauling distance of its powerhouse. Upon inquiry he discovered that the hospital got the coal along with the land without paying a cent.

The explanation is that when the land was deeded to the institution coal mines threw away every year thousands of tons of coal in the culm dumps, then thought to be useless, but which are now yielding large returns. In 1906 the world had not learned to use small steam sizes of coal. The mines were yielding so plentifully then that grades of coal as large as chestnut were frequently dumped into the culm bank.

Before the Delaware & Hudson turned over the land to the state, it used the mountain on which the hospital is now situated as a dump. The road had a gravity line to carry coal

from its mines at Carbondale to Honesdale. In 1905 this line was abandoned and a steam road built, and this made the mountain useless to the railroad company. But in the nine years that the gravity road was in use the road had filled two large ravines with culm.

The thought that this might be valuable never entered the heads of the railroad officials, nor even of the state officials who accepted the grant of land for Pennsylvania. But a few years later, when the hospital was constructed, a marked change had taken place in the value of culm. The hospital authorities found that they had enough fuel in the two ravines to last them, at the lowest estimate, fully 30 years.

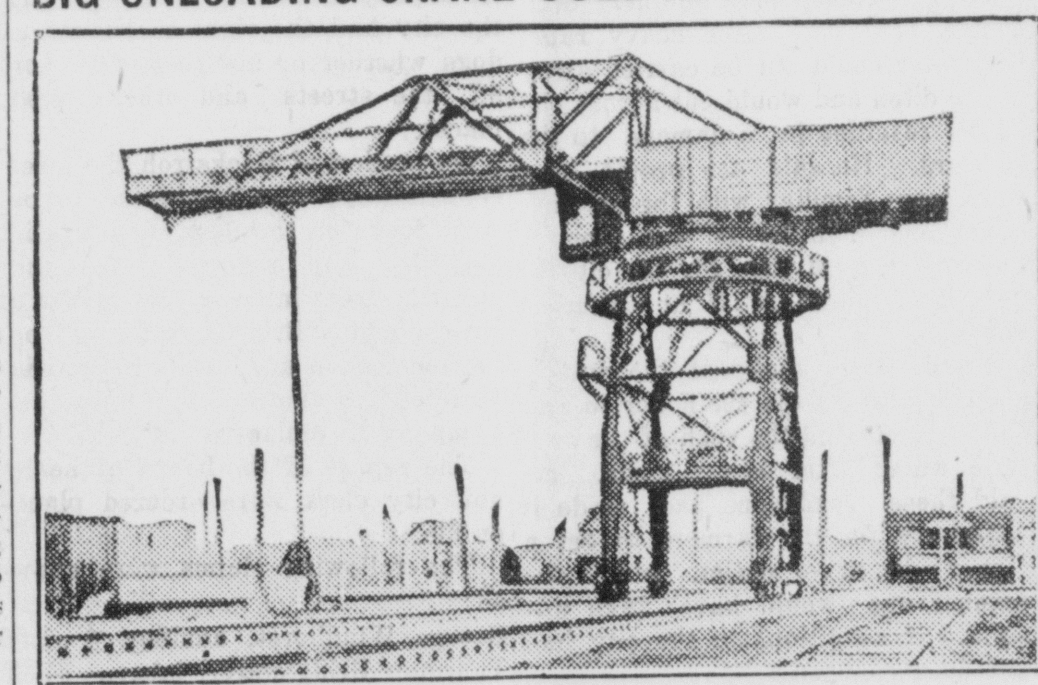
New Use for X-Ray.

In Switzerland recently the Roentgen rays have been made use of with great success for the examination of re-enforced concrete work about which any question may have arisen. The advantage of being able to make an examination of the condition of such re-enforcements or the proper disposition and situation thereof without destroying the concrete structure are self-evident, as well as the desirability of being able to make an inspection of the position of the re-enforcing iron rods upon the completion of the cement parts of a new building or a new structure.

The Thrust Feminine.

"I have a killing dress of electric blue."
"Yes, I should think, with your complexion, the shock would be fatal."

BIG UNLOADING CRANE USED IN STORAGE YARD



For handling large quantities of coal, stone, sand, and similar materials in its storage yard, a western railway has erected a giant crane that operates along a 1,000-foot track. As an indication of the size of the great machine, the cantilever truss measures 62½ feet from its outer edge to the center of rotation. This distance corresponds to the radius of the circle that the crane is capable of describing when in use. The rails on which the machine is mounted are 16 feet apart and imbedded in heavy concrete. Electric power is employed for operating purposes, and every movement of the machine is under the ready control of one man. The "clamshell" will hold about five tons of sand.—Popular Mechanics Magazine.

STOPS THE SMOKE

ENGINES USING PULVERIZED
COAL ABATE NUISANCE.

Device Thoroughly Tested in Active
Service by Leading Railroad, and
Shows Marked Saving in
Fuel Consumption.

In spite of ordinances designed to reduce the great tonnage of soot that descends annually upon our cities, few manufacturing municipalities can yet claim to have secured marked relief from the "smoke nuisance." But relief is apparently in sight, and from a totally unexpected source. We refer to the successful development of the process of burning powdered coal for generating steam in locomotive and other boilers, Engineering and Contracting says.

Pulverized till 85 per cent of it passes a screen having 200 meshes to the inch, "soft coal" gives an almost smokeless flame when blown into a fire box with air. The quantity of air is automatically regulated by the quantity of powdered coal, so that careless firing, such as is now inevitable with hand stoking, can not occur.

Between Chicago and Milwaukee, a railroad placed in service, a year ago, a passenger locomotive equipped for burning pulverized coal. It has been thoroughly tested in active service, and has demonstrated a marked saving in fuel. According to tests published in the Railway Age Gazette, this locomotive evaporated 13 per cent more water per pound of coal and consumed 18 per cent less coal on the runs between Chicago and Milwaukee than was required with a similar locomotive fired with lump coal in the ordinary manner. Moreover, a much cheaper grade of coal was used on the locomotive burning pulverized coal.

In firing up the cold locomotive only 750 pounds of powdered coal were required, as against 1,700 pounds of lump coal. But an even greater point in favor of powdered coal is the ability to shut off the fire entirely while standing still. Thus the fire can be entirely shut off for about half an hour, yet in five minutes after it is started again the boiler is up to full pressure. This saving in fuel while standing idle makes powdered coal particularly desirable for switching locomotives.

The switching engines in the freight yards of cities and the engines that are getting up steam or standing with banked fires, cause a very large part of the "smoke nuisance" which has been so greatly deplored in all large cities. It would seem now that, as far as locomotives are concerned, this nuisance need no longer be tolerated. We go further and predict that all large steam power plants in cities will eventually use powdered coal, not only because it will prove to be more economical, but because a smokeless city can be secured in this way.

Bringing Sunken Ships to Surface.

The new method of raising sunken ships developed by Dr. S. P. Portella of Rio de Janeiro is claimed to be effective at any depth divers can reach. A specially designed tender is provided with various folded floats of waterproof material, and these are attached by divers to different parts of the interior and exterior of the sunken vessel. As air is forced through hose connected to the tender, the floats expand into spheres, cylinders, and other forms thought to be best adapted to their places. Their buoyancy gradually increases as they displace water in and about the wreck, and when it becomes sufficient they float the load to the surface.

Now the Paper Spoon.

Under the title, "sanitary spoon," a New York inventor has just taken out a patent for a spoon made of stiffened paper which will doubtless meet with demand from ice cream saloons, soda fountains and similar places. As it is full size it is more convenient than the miniature tin spoon now in vogue at most pleasure resorts. It will also be much cheaper to manufacture. The paper spoon has a blank for the bowl, which is pressed into the proper concave shape, while the paper above it is rolled to give the requisite stiffness to the handle.

Income Tax Exemption.

Washington, Jan. 5.—Treasury department officials have ruled that the \$4,000 exemption from the income tax law granted to heads of families applies not only to married persons, but to others maintaining dependents over whom they exercise "family control."

1884—1917

For 33 years NONE
SUCH Mince Meat
has cost you only
10c a package.

NONE SUCH MINCE MEAT

Today, with all food-
costs high, NONE
SUCH still sells at
10c a package.

Same Quality
Same Price

MERRELL-SOULE CO., Syracuse, N. Y.

CITY GOVERNMENT COSTS \$178 A DAY (Continued from first page)

from the year previous, but the records show that all of this money was due at that time but had not been paid out. The balance this year, it is stated, is a unqualified surplus and amounts to \$6,546.88. The total receipts during the year, was \$62,233.49.

The biggest single item of expense last year, according to the statement, was for street lighting which totaled \$9,459.23. The water bill was the next biggest, amounting to \$6,643.84. Salaries of the city officials and employees came next and totaled \$5,926.68.

The report in detail is printed below:

RECEIPTS.

Balance Jan. 1, 1916.....	\$ 5,049.91
Taxes Collected	46,367.26
Miscellaneous Receipts ..	2,210.35
Liquor License	7,500.00
Miscellaneous License ..	585.00
Docket Fees	428.99
Interest on Deposits.....	83.07
Officers' Fees	9.00
Total receipts	\$62,233.49

DISBURSEMENTS.

Light	\$ 9,459.23
Water	6,643.84
Salary	5,926.68
Bonds Redeemed	6,000.00
Unimproved Streets	4,862.19
Fire Department	3,779.48
Park	3,340.71
Improved Streets	3,029.85
Police Department	2,835.69
Library	2,588.55
Incidental	1,852.11
Interest on Bonds.....	1,750.00
Garbage	1,586.75
Hospital	647.15
Ptg., Adv., Postage.....	340.49
Contagious Disease	318.13
Interest on Notes.....	287.60
Public Entertainment	250.00
Prisoners	188.25

Total Disbursements....\$55,686.61
Balance Jan. 1, 1917....\$ 6,546.88
C. W. Burkart, City Clerk.

THE MERE FACT THAT Scott's Emulsion

is generously used in
tuberculosis camps is
proof positive that it is
the most energizing prepa-
ration in the world. It
has power to create power.
It warms and nourishes;
it enriches the blood,
stops loss of flesh and
builds you up.

SCOTT'S IS PURE AND RICH
AND FREE FROM ALCOHOL.

Scott & Bowne, Bloomfield, N. J. J-24

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WEEKLY.

One Year in Advance.....\$1.00

FRIDAY, JANUARY 5, 1917.

GATHERED FACTS

In the Philippines translucent oyster shells, it is said, form the windows of many habitants.

The Chinese government is planning to extend its system of wireless telegraphy into Tibet.

An attachment for piano pedals, to permit children to operate them easily, has been invented.

Most of the lead mined in the United States is smelted in three states—Missouri, Idaho and Utah.

There are nearly 4,000 books on electrical subjects in the library of congress at Washington.

Cuba annually imports from 5,000,000 to 6,000,000 eggs, nearly all of them from the United States.

The government of Ecuador has established a course in scientific agriculture at its central university.

A New Jersey inventor's turret head enables ordinary screw machine work to be done on an engine lathe.

An Englishman has invented a cover for hatchways on vessels that operates on the principle of a rollopp desk.

Chariots worked on the principle of the taximeter are said to have been used in China in the fourth century.

In the following sentence there are all the letters of the English alphabet: "Pack my box with five dozen liquor jugs."

Apparatus has been invented to permit a man about to undergo a surgical operation, to administer his own anaesthetic.

German iron founders are trying to increase the use of furnace slag in place of gravel and crushed stone in concrete.

REFLECTIONS

A good guesser often has the mind reader beaten a mile.

On the whole, it is better to boost a man than to reform him.

Two heads can always eat more than one, whether they are better or not.

Never put off until tomorrow the "touch" that should be made today.

Flashlight love needs a powerful storage battery to keep up the illumination.

The man who is too careful of his money is seldom popular with the fair sex.

The poet usually dreams of daisies when the snow flies. But the old sport has 'em in mind the year around.

The bite of a mosquito is never as annoying when we are on a picnic as when in our sleeping apartments.

RAILROAD AWAITS COURT DECISION

B. & O. to Keep Accurate Record of Trainmen's Time in Event Adamson Law is Valid.

DATES FROM FIRST OF YEAR

If Court so Rules Additional Compensation Can Then Be Paid Without Long Delay.

The new wage scale as provided by the Adamson law will date from January 1, this year, if the law is held to be valid and constitutional. If the supreme court finds in favor of the employees the additional wages from that date will be ordered paid to the employees coming within the law as soon as possible thereafter. At the timekeepers' department of the Indiana division of the Southwestern the time each trainman is employed after January 1 is made a matter of careful record so that the additional compensation can be readily checked up and warrants issued. It would be impossible to keep two sets of time records, it is pointed out, as there are several interpretations of the scale of pay under the Adamson law and even if the measure is held valid the court or some other body in authority will be required to give the final interpretation.

All roads entering this city will keep similar accounts, it is stated.

Pending a decision by the United States Supreme Court as to the constitutionality of the Adamson Eight-hour Law, the Baltimore and Ohio railroad has issued a circular stating that the company will pay its employees under the old schedules and that accurate records will be kept of the earnings of each employee affected, so that in the event that the law be upheld any additional compensation will be paid promptly.

This is in accordance with an agreement reached between attorneys for the government and for the railroads. The notice issued by the Baltimore and Ohio quotes this agreement in full, that section pertaining to additional compensation being as follows:

"In each pending case except this a consent order shall be entered continuing further action therein until the decision of this court, and providing that plaintiff from and after January 1, 1917, shall keep its books and accounts in such manner that if the constitutionality of the act is upheld, it shall ascertain the account due to the employees affected under the construction placed upon the act by this court and shall promptly pay them said accounts, which right can at any time be enforced for their benefit on their own motion or on the motion of the defendant United States Attorney."

The Wittenberg College Glee Club will entertain you with high grade music and rollicking college songs at the Majestic next Wednesday evening, Jan. 10. Seats on sale Monday.

WOMAN IS GIVEN RELIEF QUICKLY

Troubles of Several Years' Duration Quickly Banished Through Use of Tanlac.

Michigan City, Ind., January 4, 1917—"I noticed a great improvement in my condition after taking only one bottle of Tanlac," Mrs. Emma Wenzel, 1104 West Tenth street, this city, wife of an employee of Bennett's Blacksmith Shop, told friends on October 27.

"For a number of years I have suffered from stomach, liver and kidney trouble and although I tried many medicines I gained no permanent benefit until I tried Tanlac recently," Mrs. Wenzel continued. "I suffered often from intensely severe pains in my back. My feet and hands often became swollen. I had no desire to eat and what little I did eat didn't agree with me. I usually was in a constipated condition.

"Tanlac brought me almost immediate benefits. I noticed a great change in my condition after taking only one bottle. I've taken three bottles of Tanlac now and the pains in my back that bothered me for years have completely disappeared. I'm not constipated now. I eat heartily and enjoy my meals.

"I hope others bothered as I was will give Tanlac a trial."

Tanlac, the Master Medicine, is especially beneficial for stomach, liver and kidney trouble, catarrhal complaints, rheumatism, nervousness, loss of appetite and the like.

Tanlac is no being specially introduced and explained in Seymour at The H. H. Carter Drug Store.

Advertisement.

FARMERS DISCUSS DRAINAGE ISSUE

(Continued from first page)

concerned it was immaterial to him whether or not the city joined in with the farmers in building the canal and laterals, but thought that the opportunity should be accepted for the benefit of the city. He said it was not the intention of the petitioners to seek any favors of the council. Their plans have been completed for building the canal, he said, and it would be sufficient for their purposes. He added, however, that the laterals could be built at comparatively small cost to the city and they would furnish the solution to the drainage problem. He said that the laterals would not make the assessments of the landowners affected any less and might increase them. He pointed out that the laterals would be built at the cost of the city which would also be compelled to pay an assessment for the main line.

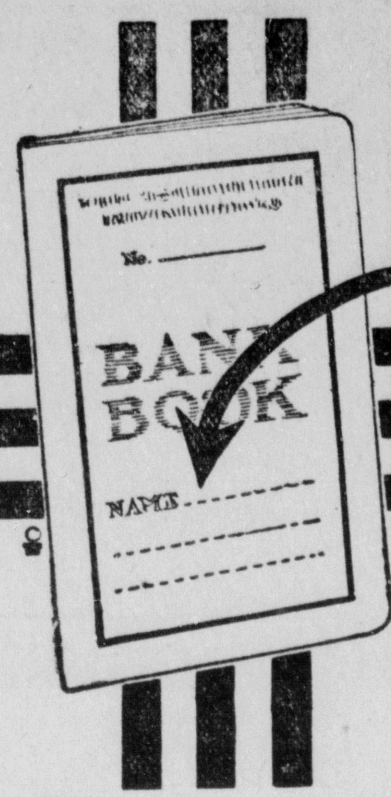
J. B. Thompson, another land owner, said that after heavy rains the water could not be carried away in the ditch and would cut across the fields resulting in a damage to the farmers. He said the people here were more familiar with the existing conditions than he is, but thought this was a good time for the city to get the required relief at minimum expense.

Frank Grein spoke of the watershed resulting from the concrete and brick streets and the rush of the surface water after heavy rains. He said these conditions had made it necessary for the farmers to get a bigger drainage outlet, while the present one would have been adequate if conditions in the city had not been changed.

Councilman Andrews said that the councilmen had discussed all phases of the surface drainage problem ever since they took office three years ago and while some of them felt inclined to build the laterals, the decision would depend very largely upon the assessment of damages and benefits. Some of the councilmen, he said, doubted whether the laterals and new canal would solve the problem entirely.

On motion of Rockstroh the question was made a special order of business at a special meeting of the board of works Tuesday night. Hodapp suggested that the landowners who were present be given opportunity to present their views and the suggestion was accepted without discussion.

Bids for painting the walls in all rooms in the city building, with the exception of the jail and fire department, were received. Two contractors filed bids in accordance with the specifications filed with the clerk. Charles Hirtzel and associates offered to apply three coats of white lead and oil for \$185. The cost of repairing the plastering and point up broken places amounted to extra. Loertz and Schmitt offered



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Open an account in this bank. Your savings are protected and earning money for you all the time.

First National Bank
SEYMOUR, INDIANA

Oldest Bank in Jackson County.

Assets: One Million Dollars.

ADVERTISED LIST

January 1, 1917.

The following is a list of letters remaining in the Post Office at Seymour, Indiana, and if not delivered in 14 days will be sent to the Dead Letter Office.

LADIES.

Mrs. Maggie Howard.
Miss Ruby Johnson.
Miss Gladys May.
Mrs. Mena Prather.
Mrs. Marie J. Sierp.
Miss O. A. Swygart.
Miss Madlene Yates or Gates.
Mrs. Elijah J. Acton.

MEN.

Mr. George Burk.
Mr. John H. Gitt.
Rev. W. D. Goreham.
Ed. Helamae.
Mr. R. Huff.
Wm. O. Johnson.
J. E. Kerr.
Dr. A. M. Scott.
Sellers Kitchen Cabinet Co.
Mr. Wm. Stodgill.
The Elmer E. Scott Co.
Chester Vanrow.

ALLEN SWOPE, P. M.

Calling Cards.

One hundred calling cards, single line, for 50c. Republican Office.

to apply three coats for \$195, including plastering repairs. On motion of Murray the bids were referred to the board of works.

The ordinance repealing the present dog ordinance was read for the second time. Ley was the only councilman who voted against the repeal.

The ordinance to increase the dog tax was read for the second time. City Attorney Kasting in response to an inquiry from Ahlbrand, said that the city had the right to license all dogs whether or not they were kept off the streets and other public places.

On motion of Rockstroh the street commissioner was instructed to put some locks on the desk in the police station. Ley reported that the electric street lamp at the corner of Brown and O'Brien streets was out of commission and the clerk was instructed to notify the Interstate Company to replace it.

The report of the board of health and city clerk were ordered placed on file.

The following claims were allowed:

George Windhorst, hauling..\$ 1.50
Thurman Bridgewater, labor.. 12.95
Isaac Gardiner, labor..... 13.83
James Christie, labor..... 13.83
Oscar Jerrell, hauling..... 24.00

Ralph Hodapp, labor..... 21.60
Joe Hunt, labor..... 21.60
Elsa Jones, labor..... 21.60
J. P. Carpenter, labor..... 21.60
Segal Wright, labor..... 22.00
Postage 2.50
Seymour Republican, ptg. & Adv. 3.99
Water Rental..... 13.75
Mrs. Constance, jaintress.... 12.00
Seymour Planing Co., supplies 1.30
J. L. Ruddick, pris. transfer 4.00
Domestic Steam Laundry.... .40
Vogel Feed & Coal Co., feed.. 18.70
N. Y. Belting & Packing Co., supplies 425.00
Seymour Chair Co., supplies. .75
Geo. Vehslage, damages..... 35.00
H. F. White, supplies..... 3.60

Attention Knights Templar.

Regular Conclave Friday, January 5. Installation of officers. Smoker. Large attendance desired. j5d F. S. Gilbert, E. C.

Shareholders' Meeting.

The annual meeting of the shareholders of the First National Bank of Seymour, Indiana, for the election of directors and the transaction of such other business that may come before them, will be held at the office of said bank on Tuesday, January 9, 1917, at 10 o'clock a. m. j8d L. L. Bollinger, Cashier.

Seymour Bowling Alleys

BOWLING

THE WORLD'S GREATEST HEALTH PRODUCING

SPORT

Five Prizes This Week
for Head Pin TournamentWanted--50 Bowlers to Enter
You Only Bowl One GameGET YOUR TEAMS READY FOR
CITY TOURNAMENT

To Make The New Year Bright—

1917

RESOLVED:

That I will banish night
In a way that's right
By using Edison's Mazda light.

The Interstate Public Service Company

10 cents
a week
PUT IN OUR
CHRISTMAS
BANKING
CLUB
AND INCREASED
10c WEEKLY
WILL MAKE
\$127.50

Come in;
ask about
it.

This happens in 50 WEEKS.

We also have a 5 cent club which in 50 weeks pays \$63.75.

Our 2 cent club pays \$25.50.
Our 1 cent club pays \$12.75.

We also have clubs where you pay in \$1.00 or \$2.00 or \$5.00 each week and in 50 weeks get \$50 or \$100 or \$250.

Come in and get a "Christmas Banking Club Book" FREE. It costs nothing to join.

This is not a plan just for BOYS and GIRLS; it is also for MEN and WOMEN.

You can start TODAY—START!

Seymour National Bank

PERSONAL

Miss Mabel Gray spent the day in Brownstown.
Miss Myrtle Bennett spent the day in Indianapolis.
Mrs. Dorothy Dell spent the day in Indianapolis.
William F. Kelly transacted business in Aurora today.
James Horning made a business trip west this morning.
C. S. Mercer went to Columbus this morning on business.
O. M. Foster made a business trip to Brownstown this morning.
Mrs. Mayme Welsh went to Hayden today for a visit with friends.
W. E. Weller went to Wheatland this morning to spend the day.
Mrs. E. R. Day went to Tunnelton to spend the day with her mother.
John Turnail was here from Brownstown this morning on business.
Mrs. Henry Critcher has returned from a visit with relatives at Indianapolis.
George Carter was here from Indianapolis today enroute to Riverdale.
Mr. and Mrs. Grover Sage and son have returned after a visit with relatives in Kirkland.
Mrs. A. J. Conrad has returned from a few days' visit in Seymour.—Washington Herald.
Mrs. A. H. Simonson returned to Harrison, O., today after a visit with Mrs. Lester Connerly.
Herbert White went to Lovett this morning for a visit and business trip with William Branham.
Jay C. Smith went to Indianapolis today to attend a meeting of the trustees of Franklin College.
Mrs. H. S. Prophet returned Thursday from Lima, O., where she spent Christmas with relatives.
Senator E. P. Elsner returned today from Indianapolis after attending the opening session of the legislature and will spend Sunday here.
Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Tilford have returned to their home in Louisville after a visit with Mrs. Tilford's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Hopewell.

Pockets.

The amiable imbecile who is always springing something on the unwary has a new one. He rushes up to you and cackles, "How many pockets have you got? Answer quick." You answer "six" or "seventeen," according to your conservative or radical impulses. The amiable imbecile grins broadly and tells you to "count 'em." You count them and find that you have missed by anywhere from two to ten if you are wearing a three piece suit. The amiable imbecile says he knew you couldn't tell how many pockets you had and goes away and tries it on some one else.
The mind of man does not seem equal to the task of computing man's pockets on short notice. He is stampeded by an abrupt inquiry on the subject and makes the most outlandish estimates.
A woman is different—a married woman, anyway. If you really want to know how many pockets a man has don't bother with him. Ask his wife.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

A Model Son.

The fussy old gentleman asked the chance traveling companion, "Have you any children, sir?"
"Yes, sir, a son."
"Ah, indeed! Does he smoke?"
"No, sir! he never so much as touched a cigarette."
"So much the better, sir. The use of tobacco is a poisonous habit. Does he frequent clubs?"
"He has never put his foot in one."
"Allow me to congratulate you. Does he never come home late?"
"Never. He goes to bed directly after dinner."
"A model young man, sir; a model young man. How old is he?"
"Just six months."—Philadelphia Record.

Chasing the Chickens.

"By golly, I am all tired out this morning," said the fat plumber as he settled down into his seat in the street car.
"Work last evening?"
"No, but it wears me out chasing the chickens."
"Get into the garden?"
"Nope."
"Then why in the world do you chase them?"
"So we can keep them longer."
"You sure have got me guessing."
"Well, I'll tell you how it is. Last year when we raised chickens we made pets of them, and any member of the family could pick any of them up and they would make no effort at all to get out of the way."
"Uh huh."
"Well, as a result some one came in one day while we were away and picked up the whole flock."
"Gee! You don't say so."
"I do say so, and that's why I am chasing this season's chickens every evening. I am going to make them so blamed wild that the thief who tries to get them will have to be a wing shot."—Pittsburgh Chronicle Telegraph.

Our Grievs.

Want of love or want of money lies at the bottom of all our grief.—Disraeli.

"No Hunting" signs printed on muslin, 5 cents each, 50 cents per dozen at the Seymour Republican Office.

THE COUNTRY STORE
Friday and Saturday Specials

1 only Single Shot Daisy Air Rifle \$1.00.
1 only 500 Shot Daisy Air Rifle \$1.25.
1 Stevens Crack Shot 22 Rifle \$4.50.
2 only 12 guage Nickel Plated Nitro Hunter shot Gun \$6.50.
50 only Pocket Knives choice 25c.
10 Pr. Ice Skates for 65c. pair
2 Boys' Axes, each 75c.
2 Boy's Scout Axes 75c.

RAY R. KEACH, East Second St

Shot for Air Rifles, lb. 15c.
22 Short Cartridges 2 boxes 35c.
Well made Mission Rockers for children, each 98c.
Xmas & New Year Postal Cards choice 10 for 5c.
Fire Crackers, Salutes, Roman Candles etc.
Fresh Peanuts lb 10c.
Large Cocoanuts each 10c.
Oranges 12 to 20c. doz.
Fancy Apples 45 to 60c. pk.
Pure lard 18c lb.
Granulated Sugar, 7½c lb.



HAVE YOU A WATER BOILER

in your kitchen and if so is it plenty large enough? If you have no boiler or too small a one let us put a large one in. It's a convenience no kitchen should be without. Why not a gas water heating attachment, too? It saves making a fire in the range and puts hot water at your command any time.

Carter Plumbing Co.
115 S. Chestnut St. Phone 237.

I. U. ALUMNI OF JACKSON COUNTY WILL MEET JAN. 12

Friends of the University Also Invited to Attend Session at Local High School.

M. E. Jennings, president of the Indiana University Alumni Society of Jackson County, has been notified that Friday evening, January 12, is the date that has been fixed for the annual meeting of the society. The session will be held at the Shields high school building. A member of the faculty will come to give an address. Not only the alumni of the University but all those who attended the University and did not complete the course and friends of the college are invited to attend. The membership of the Society includes all of Jackson county. These meetings in the past have been well attended and many interesting things concerning the work of the state university are explained. Officers for the coming year will also be elected by the society at the next meeting. The present officers are: M. E. Jennings, president; Miss Mary Mack, vice-president, and Miss Mary Lee Galbraith, secretary. Miss Mack is now a student at the University, and Miss Galbraith is attending the Oklahoma State University.

TOWNSHIP INSTITUTE WILL BE IN SESSION TOMORROW

Farmers of Redding Township to Hold All Day Meeting at Christian Church.

The annual farmers' institute of Redding township will be held at the Christian church at Reddington, tomorrow and an interesting program as follows has been announced:
MORNING SESSION.
10:00 Opening Song.
Address: "Community Organization"...Ralph Test, New Castle, Ind.
General Discussion.
11:00 Song: Reddington Quartette.
Address: "Household Conveniences"...Miss Nancy Blair Barr, of Purdue.
General Discussion.
Appointment of Committees and other business.

12:00 Noon Recess. Basket Dinner.
AFTERNOON SESSION.
1:30 Song: "Stay on the Farm"...Mrs. Alice Kelley.
Address: "Enrichment of Rural Life"...Ralph Test.
General Discussion.
Song: Akeret Quartette.
2:30 Address: "Canning Fruits and Vegetables"...Miss Barr.
General Discussion.
Report of Committees and Election of Officers.
3:30 Close.

All entries for the Corn and the Sewing Contest to be made not later than 10 o'clock.
Everybody come with well filled baskets and enjoy the day.

Villa Advances.

By United Press
El Paso, January 5—Villa is forcing his way through the government troops and is nearing Chihuahua City today, according to advices reaching here today. Refugees are leaving the northern capital for the border. The decisive battle for possession of the city is now being fought.

Raises a Row.

"My wife has a wheedling way with her. She always lowers her voice when she asks me for money."
"So does mine, but she raises it if she doesn't get what she asks for."—Boston Transcript.

We do "Printing that Pleases."

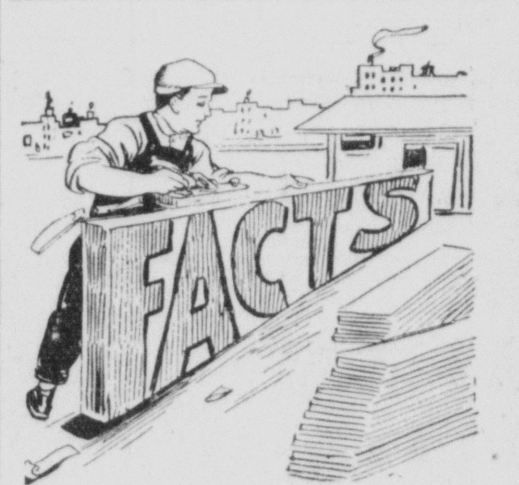
RIVER IS RISING 4 INCHES AN HOUR
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North of here the rainfall was a fraction of an inch less than in this immediate vicinity.
Most of the trains on the steam roads were slightly delayed today on account of the track conditions. While the road officials said there was no trouble to speak of, the tracks were in such condition that usual time could not be made. No slides on embankments were reported by any of the roads in this vicinity.
Slight trouble has been reported from several sources to the telephone and electric light companies. Unless the poles are anchored very firmly they give a few inches in the soft ground and despite precautions that are taken some of the guy poles have slipped a few inches in the wet soil. None of the trouble reports here was serious, it was stated.
At Brownstown a pole gave down about 11 o'clock last night, causing an arc lamp at an intersection to fall. When the pole swayed some of the light wires came in contact with the telephone lines and many of the phones in one section of the town were out of commission. Charles Robertson, manager of the telephone exchange there, put his force of linemen at work immediately and practically all the phones were in use again this afternoon. The electric service for part of the city was also out during part of the night, following the entanglement of the wires.
That colder weather will follow the rain was the prediction of the weather bureau today, and even before noon there was every indication that the forecast would be correct. The rain continued intermittently during the morning but this afternoon turned into snow. A heavy snow storm was raging north of here.

Muslin signs, "No Hunting nor Trespassing" for posting your farm, 5c each, 50c per doz. at Republican Office.

about lumber and its proper seasoning and handling are best understood after a visit to our yard. Just take any board you please from the piles of lumber here. You'll find it just as perfect, just as well seasoned as those on top. Better place your order with us if you are looking for lumber satisfaction.

THE TRAVIS CARTER CO.



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Depend On Us
To trade at home is the best New Year resolution ever made. Your home merchant is your best friend, and always is dependable. Depend on us for your drug supplies. All urgent orders delivered. Phone 100.

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RING OUT THE OLD RING IN THE NEW

Ring out Coal Trouble. Ring in Coal Comfort.

Resolve now to buy **RAYMOND CITY COAL** during the New Year.

Ring us up and order as much as you need for the rest of the winter.

Price \$6.00 Per Ton.

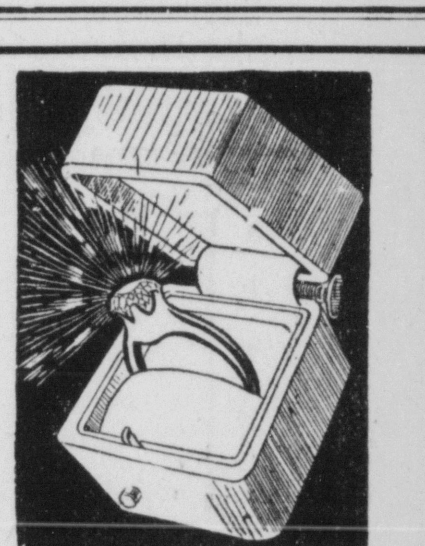
EBNER ICE AND COLD STORAGE CO.
Phone 4



A FLAT PRICE ON LUMBER

is what we will give you, Mr. Builder, and the quality of our lumber will explain why we do not offer discounts or cut prices to anybody. You realize, no doubt, that it does not pay to cheapen building construction, and endanger it besides, by putting in cheap lumber. That's not our kind.

SEYMOUR PLANING MILL CO.
419 S. Chestnut St.



How to Grow a Diamond BY OUR NEW SYSTEM

\$10.00 buys Diamond Ring No. 1. Return Diamond No. 1 with \$10.00 at any time and exchange for No. 2 value \$20.00.
Exchange may be made as often as desired until customer has obtained the size of Diamond wanted.

GEO. F. KAMMAN, Jeweler.
Seymour, Ind. Phone 249.



the New Year brings Style and Comfort in Shoes

EACH YEAR TEH MASTER BOOTMAKERS

of the world bring style and comfort closer together. The new designs we are showing in this season's footwear are a positive triumph of comfortable fashion. If you want your feet to look right and feel right during the coming year, let your judgment direct your footsteps toward this shop.

Everything in Footwear

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BLISH'S Colonial
The World's Best Flour
Your money back if you are not satisfied.
Guarantee on every sack.
AN INDIANA PRODUCT

KNOW YOUR FLOUR
PURITY GUARANTEED
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Demand this Label on your Flour
This Indiana Guarantee Label is carried by most of Indiana's finest flours. In using a flour so marked, you are helping the Indiana Farmer as well as Indiana's milling business, and you are also getting the finest flour money can buy.

NEWSY PARAGRAPHS

The case of E. S. Rains vs. Wilburn Lutes for replevin of an automobile, taken in on a trade, was dismissed today, the plaintiff paying the costs.

Pennsylvania southbound train No. 336 due here at 5:26 a. m. was more than two hours late this morning on account of a freight train near Kokomo. The mail from the east and westbound B. & O. trains was held here.

A match bowling contest will be rolled this evening at the Seymour alleys between the Lutheran team and the team representing the Seymour alleys. The contest is scheduled for 8:30 o'clock, and a good crowd of bowling fans is expected to be on hand for the game.

The case of the state of Indiana against W. M. Goens, who lives near Goss Mill, is scheduled to come to trial Monday, but it is expected that

a continuance will be asked on account of the prevalence of smallpox in that neighborhood. The defendant is charged with stealing turkeys.

Alfred Stage was on trial in circuit court this afternoon before a jury on an intoxication charge. The jury retired during the afternoon. The defendant has already been twice fined for intoxication and if found guilty will probably draw a heavier fine than has heretofore been assessed against him.

Final practice for the Franklin game tomorrow night was held by the high school basket ball team this afternoon. The team is in good shape after the holiday rest, and the members of the team are predicting a victory. Several students are expected to accompany the team tomorrow evening.

NO HUNTING—Muslin signs 9x17 inches, for posting farms against hunting and trespassing, 5 cents each, 50 cents per dozen. Call at Republican office.

HOADLEY'S CLEAN-UP PRICES

Men's Milton F. Goodman Work Shirt, \$1.25 value for...98c
Men's 75c Work Shirts...60c
Men's \$1.50 Work Coats...98c
Men's 75c Caps...48c
Men's \$1.50 Sweater Coats 98c
Men's Work Socks...2 pair 15c
Men's 25c Work Suspenders 19c
Men's 25c Dress Suspenders 17c
Men's \$2.50 Work Shoes...\$1.98
Ladies' \$3.50 Shoes, 2½, 3½ for pair...\$1.48
Men's \$3.50 Ball Brand Felt Boots...\$3.00
Lay in your Shoes and Rubbers as prices have advanced.

HOADLEY'S

A Triumphal Year For Newspaper Advertising

An increase of approximately twenty-five million dollars in newspaper advertising from the general field has been recorded in the year 1916 just closed.

No other medium, employed to spread the printed word, shows a similar increase either in dollars or cents or in comparison by percentages. None other was paid so well, because none other worked so well.

Never before did newspaper advertising render such a variety of service to so many people, or open so many hitherto unexplored avenues of usefulness.

It is the rule of business that the thing that pays grows; and national advertising increased in the newspapers because it showed large profits to the men who properly employed it. It had paid the foresighted ones who used it in large volume in 1915—so they used more of it, and, as the blazed trail is easy to follow—more people used it.

There was, of course, a great underlying reason for this development of national advertising in the newspapers.

It has been tersely given by a great manufacturer who is at the present time advertising in more than half of all the daily newspapers published. He says:

"Newspaper advertising hits the spot we want to reach.

"Newspaper advertising carries our story to the consumer with the daily news.

"Newspaper advertising does effective work with the local dealer."

Or as a successful advertising agent says it, "Nothing succeeds like newspaper advertising."

LEADERSHIP

Many important interests had things to say to the public during the past year. They found the medium of newspaper advertising the effective place to say them. Among the greater developments along these lines of public service were:—

The further enlargement of the idea of advertising for the good-will of the people on the part of the railroads, telephone companies and other public service corporations;

The growth in space of institutional advertising on the part of manufacturers who are producing a variety of staple products;

A nation-wide campaign of advertising by the railroads which crystallized public sentiment at the time a great strike was threatened;

A nation-wide advertising campaign on the part of the Bethlehem Steel Company.

Employment of newspaper advertising for the first time by the Democratic and Republican National Committees.

This latter development was perhaps the most wholesome achievement of the recent political campaign.

First In Public Service In War and In Peace

Perhaps the more notable triumphs of Newspaper advertising were in the field of public service.

Governments marshalled newspaper advertising batteries to raise troops, to pay bills to encourage thrift, to stimulate industry, to mobilize every national force. It has been said that during the past year the lives of the people of the British Empire have been directed by an advertising manager.

Progressive Canada, nearer home, has done wonderful things along these lines. By advertising to increase productiveness, she has literally made two spears of wheat grow where one grew before.

While the Government of the United States has not yet awakened to the force of the great power she has at her door, leaders of her great political parties have had a last hour conversion.

During the recent political campaign, for the first time, the battle was fought in the open, largely through the medium of newspaper advertising.

It is a significant fact that the Republican Party, which was the greatest user of newspaper space, carried every state but one where it sent its message to the people.

Democratic leaders on the other hand did much to combat this influence with some strong advertising for their candidate.

Corporations have found in paid newspaper advertising a sure avenue to good will for a just cause.

Capital and Labor have courted public opinion through the newspapers.

The old days of lobbying and secret wire-pulling have given way to the great force—newspaper advertising.

Some of the things that were done were badly done, but progress was made and this fact clearly established:—

SERVICE

Canada's Government has found newspaper advertising an efficient servant. It has employed it since 1906, and, since the war, has greatly multiplied its field of usefulness. Here are some things the Canadian Government has done:



Marketed her apple crop at a profit, saving her growers the loss of \$2,000,000 by an advertising expenditure of \$14,000;



Increased the production of farm products and the activity of manufacturers by an expenditure of \$15,000, adding \$300,000,000 to her gross production;



Induced the cultivation of town plots by an expenditure of \$1,000;



Floated immense war loans; and taught thrift and patriotism.

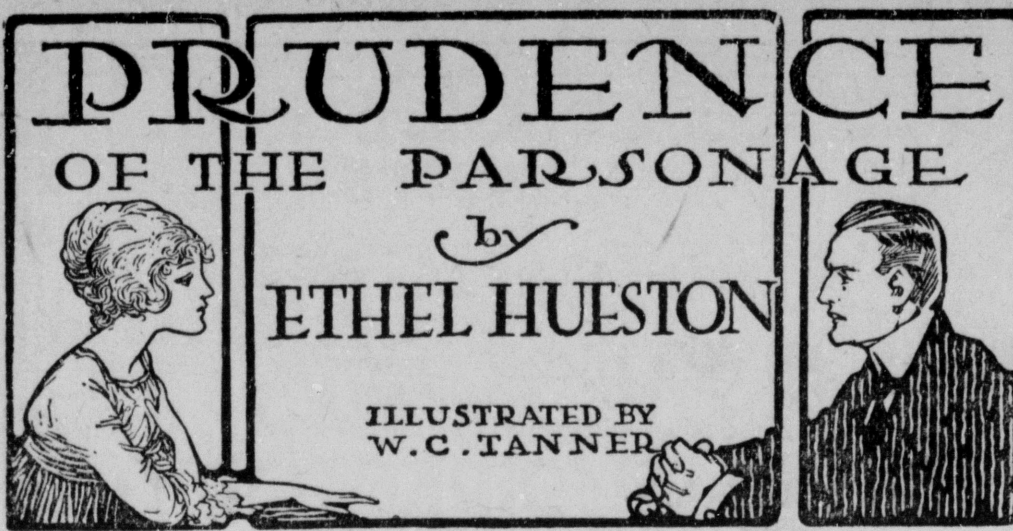


And Canada has only begun to fight—and to advertise.

"The newspapers of the immediate future will be the great link for every man and set of men who wish to connect with public."

The SEYMOUR REPUBLICAN

Reaches practically three out of four homes in Seymour, and a large percentage in Jackson county. It carries the business message directly into the homes of its readers.



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Fairy was a little late getting upstairs to dress, but she took time to drop into her sister's room. They were all in bed, breathing heavily. She walked from one to another, and stood above them majestically.

"Asleep!" she cried. "Ah, fortune is kind. They are asleep. How I love these darling little twinnies—in their sleep!"

An audible sniff from beneath the covers, and Fairy, smiling mischievously, went into the front room to prepare for her caller.

The bell rang as she was dressing. Prudence went to the door, preternaturally ceremonious, and ushered Mr. Babler into the front room. She did not observe that the young man sniffed in a peculiar manner as he entered the room.

"I'll call Fairy," she said demurely. "Tell her she needn't dimp for me," he answered, laughing. "I know just how she looks already."

But Prudence was too heavily burdened to laugh. She smiled hospitably, and closed the door upon him. Fairy was tripping down the stairs, very tall, very handsome, very gay. She pinched her sister's arm as she passed, and the front room door swung behind. But she did not greet her friend. She stood erect by the door, her head tilted on one side, sniffing, sniffing.

"What in the world?" she wondered. Eugene Babler was strangely quiet. He looked about the room in a peculiar, questioning way.

"Shall I raise a window?" he suggested finally. "It's rather—er—hot in here."

"Yes, do," she urged. "Raise all of them. It's—do you—do you notice a—funny smell in here? Or am I imagining it? It—it almost makes me sick!"

"Yes, there is a smell," he said, in evident relief. "I thought maybe



"Yes, There is a Smell," He Said.

you'd been cleaning the carpet with something. It's ghastly. Can't we go somewhere else?"

"Come on." She opened the door into the sitting room. "We're coming out here if you do not mind, Prue." And Fairy explained the difficulty.

"Why, that's very strange," said Prudence, knitting her brows. "I was in there right after supper, and I didn't notice anything. What does it smell like?"

"It's a new smell to me," laughed Fairy, "but something about it is strangely suggestive of our angel twins."

MUSTEROLE—QUICK RELIEF! NO BLISTER!

It Soothes and Relieves Like a Mustard Plaster Without the Burn or Sting

Musterole is a clean, white ointment, made with the oil of mustard. It does all the work of the old-fashioned mustard plaster—does it better and does not blister. You do not have to bother with a cloth. You simply rub it on—and usually the pain is gone!

Many doctors and nurses use Musterole and recommend it to their patients. They will gladly tell you what relief it gives from sore throat, bronchitis, croup, stiff neck, asthma, neuralgia, congestion, pleurisy, rheumatism, lumbago, pains and aches of the back or joints, sprains, sore muscles, bruises, chilblains, frozen feet, colds of the chest (it often prevents pneumonia).



Prudence went to investigate, and Fairy shoved a big chair near the table, waving her hand toward it lightly with a smile at Babbie. Then she sank into a low rocker, and leaned one arm on the table. She wrinkled her forehead thoughtfully.

"That smell," she began. "I am very suspicious about it. It was not at all natural—"

"Excuse me, Fairy," he said, ill at ease for the first time in her knowledge of him. "Did you know your sleeve was coming out?"

Fairy gasped and raised her arm. "Both arms, apparently," he continued, smiling, but his face was flushed.

"Excuse me just a minute, will you?" Fairy was unruffled. She sought her sister. "Look here, Prue—what do you make of this? I'm coming to pieces! I'm hanging by a single thread, as it were."

Her sleeves were undoubtedly ready to drop off at a second's notice! Prudence was shocked. She grew positively white in the face.

"Oh, Fairy," she wailed. "We are disgraced."

"Not a bit of it," said Fairy coolly. "I remember now that Lark was looking for the scissors before supper. Aren't those twins unique? This is almost bordering on talent, isn't it? Don't look so distressed, Prue. Etiquette itself must be subservient to twins, it seems. Don't forget to bring in the steamer at a quarter past nine, and have it as good as possible—please, dear."

"I will," vowed Prudence. "I'll use cream. Oh, those horrible twins!" "Go in and entertain Babbie till I come down, won't you?" And Fairy ran lightly up the stairs, humming a snatch of song.

But Prudence did a poor job of entertaining Babbie during her sister's absence. She felt really dizzy! Such a way to introduce Etiquette into the parsonage life. She was glad to make her escape from the room when Fairy returned, a graceful figure in fine blue silk!

A little after nine she called out dismally, "Fairy!" And Fairy, fearing fresh disaster, came running out.

"What now? What—" "I forget what you told me to say," whispered Prudence wretchedly. "What was it? The soup is ready, and piping hot—but what is it you want me to say?"

Fairy screamed with laughter. "You goose!" she cried. "Say anything you like. It doesn't make any difference what you say."

"Oh, I am determined to do my part just right," vowed Prudence fervently, "according to etiquette and all. What was it you said?"

Fairy stifled her laughter with difficulty, and said in a low voice, "Wouldn't you like a nice, hot oyster stew?" Prudence repeated it after her breathlessly.

So Fairy returned once more, and soon after Prudence tapped on the door. Then she opened it, and thrust her curly head inside. "Wouldn't you like a little nice, hot oyster stew?" she chirped methodically. And Fairy said, "Oh, yes, indeed, Prudence—this is so nice of you."

The three gathered sociably about the table. Babbie was first to taste the steaming stew. He gasped, and gulped, and swallowed some water with more haste than grace. Then he toyed idly with spoon and wafer until Prudence tasted also. Prudence did not gasp. She did not cry out. She looked up at her sister with wide eyes—a world of pathos in the glance. But Fairy did not notice.

"Now, please do not ask me to talk until I have finished my soup," she was saying brightly.

Then she tasted it! She dropped her spoon with a great clatter, and jumped up from the table. "Mercy!" she shrieked. "It is poisoned!"

Babbie leaned back in his chair and laughed until his eyes were wet. Prudence's eyes were wet, too, but not from laughter! What would etiquette think of her, after this?

"What did you do to this soup, Prudence?" demanded Fairy.

"I made it—nothing else," faltered poor Prudence, quite crushed by this blow. And oysters forty cents a pint!

"It's pepper, I think," gasped Babbie. "My insides bear startling testimony to the presence of pepper."

And he roared again, while Prudence began a critical examination of the oysters. She found them literally stuffed with pepper: there was no doubt of it. The twins had done deadly work!

"Revenge, ye gods, how sweet," chanted Fairy. "The twins are getting even with a vengeance—the same twins you said were adorable, Babbie." It must be said for Fairy that her good nature could stand almost anything. Even this did not seriously disturb her. "Do you suppose you can find us some milk, Prue? And crackers! I'm so fond of crackers and milk, aren't you, Babbie?"

"Oh, I adore it. But serve a microscope with it, please. I want to ex-

amine it for microbes before I taste." But Prudence did better than that. She made some delicious cocoa, and opened a can of pear preserves, donated to the parsonage by the amiable Mrs. Adams. The twins were very fond of pear preserves, and had been looking forward to eating these on their approaching birthday. They were doomed to disappointment! The three had a merry little feast, after all, and their laughter rang out so often and so unrestrainedly that the twins shook in their beds with rage and disappointment.

It speaks well for the courage of Babbie, and the attractions of Fairy, that he came to the parsonage again and again. In time he became the best of friends with the twins themselves, but he always called them "the adorables," and they never asked him why. The punishment inflicted upon them by Prudence rankled in their memories for many months.

"The offense was against Fairy," said Prudence, with a solemnity she did not feel, "and the reparation must be done to her. For three weeks you must do all of her bedroom work, and run every errand she requires. Moreover, you must keep her shoes well cleaned and nicely polished, and must do every bit of her darning!"

The twins would have preferred whipping a thousand times. They felt they had got a whipping's worth of pleasure out of their mischief! But a punishment like this sat heavily upon their proud young shoulders, and from that time on they held Fairy practically immune from their pranks.

Prudence did not bother her head about etiquette after that experience. "I'm strong for comfort," she declared, "and since the two cannot live together in one family, I say we do without etiquette."

And Fairy nodded in agreement, smiling good-naturedly.

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CITY EXECUTIVE SUBMITS REPORT

(Continued from first page)

service in other cities. That there is opportunity for further reduction in cost is further indicated by the fact the council has had a written proposition accompanied by a bond to do the work for \$1,200 a year less than it is now costing. It must be apparent to all, the city team could take up the droppings from three to four months in the year and still have time to do the little hauling to be done at this time a year. No city so far as we know attempts to employ as many men this season of the year as in summer. Neither do

we on unimproved streets, for it is universally recognized they can not work to an advantage in winter. Why the same rule does not apply to the improved streets we can not understand, for it is not only unnecessary but impossible to clean as thoroughly in winter. Half the force can now do all that can be done efficiently. This reduction together with the use of our own team for pick up would make a saving of enough to place about six hundred yards of gravel on the streets giving employment to our teamsters as well as making streets passable for motor truck we are proposing to buy.

At old rate of street cleaning the present mileage would cost about approximately \$5,500 a year, the present rate (\$3,000) makes a saving of \$2,500 and this does not include \$600 formerly paid by the merchants for sprinkling. Furthermore, we believe all will agree the work is better done than ever before.

The \$2,500 saved on street cleaning will be further augmented this year by a saving of approximately two thousand dollars on street lighting, part in cash and part in increased efficiency. In addition we congratulate the people on a further saving to private consumers of approximately \$4,600 a year. While this is a very substantial reduction, we firmly believe we were entitled to a further reduction of \$2,000 and further believe we would have gotten it had we made a firm united stand for it.

Now that the rate question is settled, it remains for us to get the necessary equipment for meter testing and volt measuring, that we may know goods contracted for are being delivered. No individual would buy and pay for \$40,000 worth of any kind of merchandise annually without some kind of measuring, weighing or checking system verifying the bill. It is equally important some system should be put into effect for testing gas as to quality and pressure.

We further congratulate the people on the probability of very soon getting the Water Company before the Commission. They having exhausted all the legal technicalities capable of being brought to evade a hearing.

The fire department, working with their usual efficiency, has through a regular inspection, especially in

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

Lesson I. January 7.

JESUS THE LIFE AND LIGHT OF MEN. John 1:1-18.

Golden Text.—In him was life; and the life was the light of men.—John 1:4.

In these four gospel portraits of Christ we see Him as the King (Matthew), the Servant (Mark), the Son of Man (Luke) and the Son of God (John)—the same Jesus in each, revealed to us a little differently, that we may know Him more fully and more intimately. This gospel is certainly the eagle gospel, as the others are suggestive of the other faces of the cherubim, the lion, the ox and the man. Here we are lifted far above the others and carried back to the beginning, before the creation, to Him by whom all things were created. His name, "the Word of God," takes us back to the ten times repeated "And God said" of Gen. 1, along with Ps. xxxiii, 6, "By the Word of the Lord were the heavens made." Then on to Rev. xix, 13, when He shall come in glory as "the Word of God." How grand the statement in verse 3, "Without Him was not anything made that was made," reminding us also of Col. 1, 16, and leading us to exclaim Jer. xxxii, 17.

I often think of and quote these lines: "The Scriptures and the Lord bear one most holy name; the written and the Living Word are in all things the same. Then the word of any one, if sincere, is the utterance of the heart, and in Him we see and know the heart of God the Father. As Creator He is too far above us to be known by us, but when we see Him in human form, the Word made flesh (verse 14), then He comes near to us in such a way that we may know Him. Though no man hath seen God at any time, any believer can see Him in the only begotten Son (verse 18). Those of whom it is written in Ex. xxiv, 11, "They saw God and did eat and drink," saw not the Father, but the Son, whose goings forth have been from the days of eternity (Micah, v, 2, margin). So was it also with Abraham, and Jacob, and Moses, and Joshua, and Gideon, and Manoah, and Job, and Isaiah, and Daniel. Let us be content with the words of our Lord to Philip, "He that hath seen me hath seen the Father" (John xiv, 9).

Not only is He God the Creator, but He is the Life and the Light of men. His first recorded utterance in Scripture is, "Let there be light," and then we remember that "God, who commanded the light to shine out of darkness, hath shined in our hearts to give the light of the knowledge of the glory of God in the face of Jesus Christ" (Gen. 1, 3; I Cor. iv, 6). So peculiarly is He the Life that there is no life apart from Him, for "He that hath the Son hath life, and he that hath

not the Son of God hath not life" (I John v, 12). Life and light and love are three of the great words of this gospel, and in Him alone are found the three. He is called "the True Light" (verse 9), as He is also "the True Bread from heaven," "the True Vine," "the True Tabernacle" (John vi, 32; xv, 1; Heb. viii, 2). John the Baptist bore witness of the light that men through Him might believe, and one of the last words of our Lord before He ascended was, "Ye shall receive the power of the Holy Ghost coming upon you, and ye shall be witnesses unto me" (Acts i, 8, margin). Could anything be more pitiful and pathetic than the statement of lesson verses 10, 11, that He was in the world that He had made, and it knew Him not, and His own people received Him not. Yet so it has ever been since Adam and Eve turned from Him in the Eden, where He placed them to enjoy Him and it, Israel would none of me. I would, but ye would not. Ye will not come unto me. Such are some of His words concerning our treatment of Him. Yet He loves us and pleads with us. Although He knows all the truth about us, He is full of grace toward us; "full of grace and truth."

Praise God for the comfort and the assurance of verse 12, for, knowing that I did truly receive Him as my Saviour and put all my trust in His precious blood, this, with the following verse, made me certain that I had become a child of God, born of God, and, with John v, 24; I John ii, 12; Isa. xlii, 25, and other words of life, gave me assurance of the forgiveness of sins that they would never be remembered against me and that I had passed from death into life. I have had this comfort now (June, 1915), for forty-two years, ever since 1873, but had been a church member in good standing without such assurance for some years before that.

It is not a feeling, but simply a resting on the infallible word of God that it is as He says. While Matthew, Mark and Luke refer quite fully to the glory of the transfiguration, John seems to sum it up in one sentence, "We beheld His glory, the glory as of the only begotten of the Father" (verse 14). The only way of true humility on our part (verse 15) and of victory over all present vanities of this world is to behold His glory according to I Cor. iii, 18. Then we shall be unable to see self and circumstances and hindrances because of the glory of that light and because of the city we have so recently been learning about, whose light is the Glory of God and of the Lamb (Acts xxii, 11; Rev. xxi, 23).

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the business district, attempted to lessen the fire hazard by preventing the collection of boxes, barrels and rubbish in back yards, alleys and other points where they might increase the fire hazard. The city of Seymour is expending more than \$10,000 a year for fire protection. Are we getting all the benefits that might be derived from that amount of expenditure? Given the efficiently manned department which we now have plus the efficiently equipped department which motorizing will give us adding rigid inspection and patrol, and then adopt and enforce an ordinance drafted after suggestions made by state board of underwriters, we will be in position to ask for and get a lower insurance rate in Seymour. Factories by putting in sprinkling systems, business blocks by complying with suggestions from insurance companies get very substantial reductions. We believe the city is entitled to like consideration under like conditions and would get them if motorizing and other improvements were made only on condition we get reduction in rates.

The police department of Seymour have during the last year maintained that efficiency which ranks them among the first in the state, like the firemen they recognize an ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure, so in minor law violations due to thoughtlessness, carelessness or even ignorance of the law a friendly reminder with a request for future observance gets results. Only the vicious persistently and deliberately ignore the rules of society. These of course, must be restrained, and in exercising that restraint the police have been admonished no man is above the law, no man is beneath the law, but all the equally amenable to the law and must in the end yield obedience to the law.

The police of Seymour guard property the value of hundreds of thousands of dollars, not only against burglary but against fire. The amount lost by house-breaking in Seymour probably would not amount to police salary for one year. While the patrol has no doubt, prevented many a house-breaking, it is in the matter of fire protection police are mainly useful. Having the men to do the work, the next question is, are they properly equipped to do it? Our widely distributed telephone service has, we believe, furnished an adequate alarm system in the resident district and in the business district in day time but after business hours when stores are closed this district is entirely dependent on police for watchmen, and telephones are not accessible, alarm system as seriously hampered. It has been suggested by the Merchants' Association this might be overcome by distributing a few 'phones through the business district, making them accessible to the police at all times and connecting with the police and fire departments. This system carried to its logical conclusion would develop a system that would locate the police at any hour of the night, thereby giving us the assurance city was being properly patrolled at all times. Since we have had a paid fire department we can not recall a single fire happening in the day time when alarm could be given promptly that caused any serious loss. We have, however, had several disastrous night fires.

In these days of national preparedness agitation city officials can not plead ignorance if through neglect they fail to adequately protect the city against fire.

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B. F. KEITH'S: Japanese comedy, featuring Valerie Bergere in "Little Cherry Blossom." Jan. 1-7, matinee daily.

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Elmira	7:30 am	3:55 pm	6:55 pm
Beehunter	7:40 am	4:05 pm	7:10 pm
Linton	7:50 am	4:15 pm	7:20 pm
Jasonville	8:15 am	4:47 pm	7:54 pm
Ar. Terre Haute	8:30 am	11:45 am	7:50 pm

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Jasonville	6:40 am	1:28 pm	6:47 pm
Linton	7:14 am	1:54 pm	7:16 pm
Beehunter	7:30 am	2:09 pm	7:28 pm
Elmira	7:44 am	2:24 pm	7:46 pm
Odin	7:56 am	2:36 pm	8:00 pm
Bedford	8:15 am	3:55 pm	
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Social Events

ENTERTAINED AT DINNER

Mrs. Emma Wiethoff and Miss Katie Hodapp were hostesses at a twelve o'clock dinner at their home on South Chestnut street yesterday. Their guests included: Mrs. Sarah Pfaffenberger, Mrs. Henry Hodapp, Mrs. Sam Hodapp, Mrs. Sophia Schneck, Mrs. Mort Hodapp, Mrs. F. J. Thias, Mrs. William Hodapp and daughter, Gertrude.

EASTERN STAR OFFICERS

At the regular meeting of the Eastern Star last evening, the following officers were installed in their offices for the ensuing term: Mrs. Maude Copeland acting as installing officer; Mrs. Cora Hunsucker, W. M.; Albert Meseke, W. P.; Mrs. Maude Wesner, A. M.; Mrs. Carroll Bush, C.; Mrs. Myrtle Connelly, A. C.; Mrs. Ida Miller, Chaplain; Mrs. Emma Johnson, M.; Mrs. Mollie Boyles, Treas.; Miss Nelle Everhart, Secy.; Miss

Bertha Meseke, pianist; Mrs. Kate Shepard, Warden; H. C. Dannettelle, Sentinel; Mrs. Laura Cox, Adah; Mrs. Christine Meseke, Ruth; Miss Stella Rosenfield, Esther; Mrs. Mattie Dannettelle, Martha; Miss Frieda Meyer, Electa.

Following the installation ceremonies there was a social hour, during which an elegant luncheon was served.

QUEEN ESTHER CIRCLE.

The Queen Esther Circle of the First M. E. church met last evening with Mrs. Richard Temple, North Poplar street. Following the program and a social hour dainty refreshments were served.

DINNER COMPLEMENTING SEYMOUR GIRL

Complimenting Miss Pearl Kauffman, of Seymour, Miss Mildred Brown entertained with a charmingly appointed dinner Wednesday at

her suburban home north of the city. The courses were served at mid-day. Covers were laid for Miss Mae Leyhan, Miss Pearl Kauffman, the Misses Grace and Hazel Brown and Mrs. Alfred Schrolucke.—Washington Herald.

GRADY—LOBIG.

A very pretty wedding took place Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Grady at Crothersville, when their daughter, Grace, became the bride of the Rev. George Lobig, of Chicago. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Mitchell, pastor of the Baptist church. The house was beautifully decorated with ferns and cut flowers. The bride carried a huge bunch of white roses.

Immediately after the ceremony a wedding supper was served. Only the family and a few close friends were present. Miss Grady has made her home in this city for the past year with her sister, Mrs. Ellis Hawn, of South Broadway, and is very popular here and at Crothersville. Rev. Lobig is a graduate of the Moody Bible Institute, of Chicago, and will take his bride to Ceresco, Mich., where he has been selected as pastor of the Baptist church of that city.

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When it comes to doubtful states, even California will have to yield the palm to Dobrudja.

The entente nations have run up a war debt of fifty billion dollars. War, in addition to what Sherman called it, is also an expensive luxury.

Even the war and the "leak" charges, it seems, can't keep the Philadelphia murder mystery off the first page.

If a fellow does his duty in an emergency, he gets a hero medal; if he does it in everyday life, he very often gets laughed at.

Our idea of a hard job is conducting a column in a big paper and having contributors fill it up for you.

The weather man seems to be getting a little foggy on his New Year's resolutions.

Merchants aren't the only ones who like to hold on to the Christmas decorations. We notice the society folks use them at their parties clear up to February.

The base ball fan is able to get a few morsels out of the sporting page these days; the teams are getting ready for the Spring training trip.

Besides being president, it appears that Mr. Wilson is also Secretary of State, as well as being his own cabinet.—Baltimore American.

Only one-third of the Democratic campaign deficit has been met. Good time for some would-be diplomats to come across with a check.

"Something strange about the court house at Brownstown this week."

"What's that?"

"A Republican office holder."

The dove of peace has again had its wings clipped, it appears.

The best news about the war that we have heard for some time is that some of our vaudeville actors are planning to go to Europe to take the places of the native thespians who are at the front.

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Reported by J. Thos. Hays, Sey- mour weather observer.	Max.	Min.
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